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WANTED—A young man as night clerk. B. C. District Telegraph and Delivery Co., Ld., 34 Fort. ja28-2t

W. C. T. U. Refuge Home Committee will be glad to find a respectable Christian home for a little girl four months old. Anyone wishing to adopt a child would do well to call at the Home, 148 Cormorant street. ja28 1t

FOR SALE—The business of a new and second hand furniture store. Stock at valuation, can be reduced to suit purchaser. Cash or approved security. W. T. Hardaker, Douglas street. ja28 3t

PUBLIC NOTICE.

As complaints have been made by residents of the higher levels that they are unable to obtain water for the reason that it is being allowed to run to waste on the lower levels, the attention of all those so wasting water is called to the provisions of the "Water Works Prohibition By-Law," under which parties guilty of improperly wasting water are liable on conviction to a penalty of $100.

E. A. WILMOT,
Water Commissioner.

January 27, 1893. ja28 1f

AUCTION

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28th

At 11:30 a.m.

WRECK OF SCHOONER

C. H. TUPPER

I will sell by auction at my Salesroom, Fort and Langley streets, on account of whom it may concern,

The Hull, Spars, Sails, Equipments and Stores of the Schooner C. H. Tupper,

As she lies stranded in Pedder Bay.

Terms and conditions at sale.

GEO. BYRNES,
Auctioneer.

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[No. 185.]

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Assessment Roll

Be it enacted by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, by the Council thereof, as:

1. It is hereby declared that a distinction for the purpose of assessment shall be made between land and improvements situate within the municipality limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

2. Land situate within the said limits shall be estimated for the purpose of assessment at its actual cash value, as it would be appraised in payment of a just debt from a solvent debtor.

3. Improvements situate within the said limits shall be estimated for the purpose of assessment at fifty per cent of their actual cash value, as they would be appraised in payment of a just debt from a solvent debtor.

4. The Assessor shall begin to make the assessment on or before the fourth Friday in January, and complete the same on or before the second Tuesday in May, and the assessment shall be made on the said second Tuesday in May in each year.

5. The Assessment Roll shall be returned by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipality on or before the third Saturday in May in each year.

6. In the construction of this by-law the expressions "Land" and "Improvements" shall have respectively the meanings given to them in Section 2 of the Municipal Act 1892.

7. The Land and Improvement Assessment By-Law, 1892, and any by-law or by laws containing any provision or provisions which may be inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by-law, is and are hereby repealed in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, so that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this by-law, but not otherwise.

8. This by-law may be cited as "The Assessment By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council on the 23rd day of January, 1893.

Re-considered, adopted and finally passed the Council on the 25th day of January, 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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[No. 184.]

A BY-LAW

To Stop up a Portion of the Craigflower Road.

WHEREAS it is expedient that a portion of the road known as the Craigflower road should be stopped up and streets used in place thereof:

Be it therefore enacted by the Corporation of the City of Victoria by the Council thereof as follows:

Sec. 1. So much of the Craigflower road as runs through Block N. Victoria West, being a portion of section thirty-one, Esquimalt district, is hereby stopped up and closed to public traffic, and Catherine and Langford streets are substituted therefor.

Sec. 2. The date of the coming into effect of this by-law is hereby postponed until the Council adopt a resolution to bring it into effect and a notice thereof signed by the Clerk of the Municipality is published in the British Columbia Gazette.

Passed the Municipal Council on the 16th day of December, 1892.

Re-considered, adopted and finally passed by the Council on the 28th December, 1892.

Returned by the Mayor in an amended form under authority of section 22 of the Municipal Act, 1892, for consideration by the Council 23rd January, 1893.

Re-considered and passed in the amended form by the Council 23rd January, 1893.

(L.S.) ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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THE SCANDAL.

Persons Against Whom Indictments Have Been Found in the Panama Canal Matter.

Count DeLesseps Upon the List—Possibilities in Connection With the Cases.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—M. Franqueville, the examining magistrate, has found a true bill of accusation against Deputy and ex-Minister of Finance Rouvier, Senator Grevy, brother of the late president of the Republic; Senator Beran, Senator Deves and Senator Lon Renault, on charges of corruption in connection with the Panama Canal Company. Magistrate Franqueville absolves from accusation Deputy and ex-Minister Jules Roche, Senator Thevenet and Deputy Emanuel Arene, on the ground that there is no evidence warranting their prosecution.

Jules Roche, in view of his exculpation by M. Franqueville, intends to interpellate the Government as to its purpose in subjecting him to the suspicions under which he has suffered for five weeks.

La Liberte says that more documents referring to Cornelius Herz's dealings with Baron de Reinach have been seized at the bank of M. Propper, formerly Reinach's partner. These documents, La Liberte says, show clearly the dishonesty of Herz's business methods.

The executor of Baron de Reinach's estate applied to the courts to-day for authority to summon Herz and his wife to appear in order that he might test the validity of the investments which Herz made in Mrs. Herz's name in Paris real estate. The application was granted and the case will be heard on February 2. The executor is taking every possible step to recover from Herz the money said to have been unduly received by him from Baron de Reinach.

The complete list of men against whom M. Franqueville has found true bills, as follows: Senator Albert Grevy, ex-Minister; Charles Baihutt, ex Deputy Gobron, ex-Deputy Sans Leroy, M. Blondin, Charles de Lesseps, Henry Cottu, Marquis Fontane, Minister Rouvier, Senator Berlat, Senator Deves, Senator Renault, Deputy Dugue de la Fauconnerie, and Deputy Antoine Proust.

Should the chamber of indictments not confirm the true bills, M. Bourgeois will propose that M. Franqueville's report be considered conjointly by the chamber of indictments and the chamber of correctional appeals, whose decision would be regarded as invested with exceptional authority. If the true bills be vetoed further proceedings will be abandoned.

La France says that M. Rouvier will ask to be tried by the Senate, sitting as a court of justice

It is learned that M. Franqueville has found a true bill also against Ferdinand de Lesseps.

FRENCH FINANCES.

Lively Discussion in the Chamber—The Ribot Government Sustained.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—Discussion of the budget was continued in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday. When the appropriations for the ministry of the interior were reached M. M. Millvoye, Flourens and others severely criticised the course of the government regarding newspaper correspondents, and argued that such places should be held by Frenchmen, who would be under control of the government.

Albert Chiche, Boulangist deputy for the Gironde, opposed voting a secret service fund on the ground that the fund would be used for political purposes by the government in power.

M. Ribot replied that the fund was indispensable, especially at present. The Government would regard the vote on the question as a vote of confidence. As regards the disposition of the fund the Deputies must trust the probity of the Government.

Le Provost Delaunay, who followed M. Ribot, began an attack upon the Government's position toward the Panama scandal. The confusion which began during Delaunay's speech became an uproar when Paul Deschanel deprecated reflections upon the Government's intentions and, turning to Jules de Lahaye, demanded that he now name the 150 deputies whom he described as recipients of Panama bribes.

M. de Lahaye replied: "Most of you know who they are."

"Name them, name them," came from all sides.

"I am not here to name them," said M. de Lahaye, "it is for the law to discover the names."

M. Bourgeois, Minister of Justice, replied to de Lahaye's accusation at length. He regretted, he said, to hear de Lahaye again repeat his charges without giving any proofs of their truth.

M. Ribot addressed himself to de Lahaye's charges, and made a final appeal for the secret service fund. In conclusion Ribot earnestly exhorted the deputies to trust the Government, vote the secret service fund and save the French people from agitation which would shake the Republic.

The fund was voted by 303 deputies against 182, and the entire budget of the ministry of the interior was then approved.

CABLE NEWS.

Austrian Currency Reform.

VIENNA, Jan. 27.—The Rothschild syndicate has borrowed $10,000,000 in gold in the United States, for the use of Austria in her currency reform.

Lancashire Cotton Strike.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Attempts to settle the Lancashire cotton strike have ended fruitlessly. At a conference held by mill owners and representatives of operatives, the latter submitted a proposal to resume at the rates prevailing before the strike, and accept a 5 per cent. reduction of wages upon the expiration of the quarter if the employers found their profits unsatisfactory. The mill owners refused this, and the operatives refused to accede to the proposals of the mill owners, which the men all claim favor the employers, consequently the fortnightly conferences to arrange the questions at issue have been stopped.

Free Trade Renounced.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A free trade banquet was given at the City of London Liberal Club last evening, the principal guest being Rt. Hon. Leonard M. Courtney, who has held the office of financial secretary of the treasury and deputy speaker of the House of Commons. Courtney made a speech in which he renounced the free trade principles which he had hitherto advocated, causing a sensation among his hearers, who were mostly orthodox merchants and bankers.

Satolli's Secretary.

ROME, Jan. 27.—Dr. Barretti, recorder for the Propaganda and vice-rector of the committee of the Propaganda, has been appointed auditor and secretary to Archbishop Satolli, apostolic delegate to the United States, and the nomination papers bearing on the appointment have been dispatched to the Archbishop.

The Pope's Birthday.

ROME, Jan. 27.—The fact has developed that in the elaborate programme that has been arranged for the month of February in honor of the preconization of the Supreme Pontiff no provision had been made for the recognition of the 83rd anniversary of the birth of His Holiness, which will be reached on March 2. The programme has therefore been arranged to provide for solemn functions in the various churches, while the Supreme Pontiff will celebrate mass in St. Peter's, and will also give a special reception to pilgrims. A banquet will also be held under the auspices of a large number of members of the Roman nobility. The venerable head of the church continues in remarkably good health and spirits, and looks forward with the zest of youth to the numerous ceremonials of the coming month.

The Kaiser's Birthday.

BERLIN, Jan. 27.—The thirty-fourth anniversary of Emperor William's birthday was celebrated to-day with the customary serenades, parades and court reception. The Czar gave a dinner at St. Petersburg in honor of the Emperor William this evening.

The Varsity Race.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The annual boat race between the crews of Oxford and Cambridge Universities will be rowed on March 22. The Oxford boat club has decided not to accept the challenge from Cornell University to race in the United States. The Oxford club will ask for fuller details in regard to the proposed race to be rowed in Chicago during the World's Fair.

MR. BLAINE'S FUNERAL.

He Will Be Interred Privately—Died of Bright's Disease.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 27.—A public funeral was suggested, but the family protested, and the ceremonies will be of a private nature. The remains will be laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery, in Georgetown, by the side of his favorite son Walker Blaine and his daughter, Mrs Copping. The physicians have officially made public the cause of death as Bright's disease, aggravated by tubercular disease of the lungs and followed by heart failure.

By Jove the Prize Packets at Morris' are good this time, "a sure pop."

Meiklejohn's Grammar's at Hibben & Co.'s.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Death of Mr. Armstrong, M. P.—Special Committee on the Pacific Cable Scheme.

Canada's Waterway From Lake Superior to the Atlantic—The Manitoba School Question.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 27.—Mr. Taylor will present a resolution to prevent the importation of manufactured and adulterated lard.

The Liberal members passed a resolution of condolence to-day on the death of Mr. Armstrong, member for South Middlesex, and a deputation was appointed to attend the funeral on Monday. Mr. Hyland will probably contest the vacancy in the Government interest.

In order to secure accuracy in the enumeration of the Canadian insane, an officer of the Department of Agriculture has visited all the asylums to check over the census returns with the list of patients.

Eight hundred and twenty-nine samples of food, etc., were examined by the public analysts last year; 189 were adulterated and 60 doubtful.

Mr. La Riviere says he recognizes that the Manitoba School question is sub judice, and he will not discuss the question on its merits at this stage.

Mr. Davin has given notice of motion to reduce the duty on barbed wire, agricultural implements and coal oil, so as to afford a reasonable protection. He favors the abolition of the duty on binder twine.

Sir Hector Langevin wants a special committee to investigate the most feasible means to complete the telegraph system of the Empire. He means more particularly the construction of the Pacific cable scheme.

Mr. Tisdale has urged the Government to take steps to ascertain the probable cost of a canal from Lake St. Clair to Lake Erie which if constructed on the completion of the Soo Canal will give Canada an uninterrupted waterway from Lake Superior to the Atlantic.

Mr. Edgar proposes to interrogate the Government respecting the controversy between Great Britain and Canada over the Copyright Act.

Hon. Mr. Laurier is improved in health. He will be here on Monday.

Hon. Mr. Costigan gives notice of three Government measures, one respecting Wrecks and Salvage, another respecting Masters' and Mates' certificates, and the third to further amend the Steamboat Inspection act.

The appointment of E. H. Jones, of Kamloops, as a sub-collector of customs will be gazetted to-morrow.

The House of Commons sat for fifteen minutes, and did nothing.

Sir Richard Cartwright referred in feeling terms to the death of Mr. Armstrong. Sir John Thompson did the same, and said the Ministerial members would join in an expression of opinion to mark the loss sustained by the country by his death.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Old Residents Dead.

QUEBEC, Jan. 27.—Two old residents of Quebec have just died. They are Mrs. L. A. Cannon, wife of the late City Clerk of Quebec and mother of Mr. Cannon, deputy attorney-general, and Mrs. John Twiford, aged 81, widow of Lieutenant John Twiford, formerly of Her Majesty's Sixty-fifth regiment.

Montreal's Sad Plight.

MONTREAL, Jan. 27.—Municipal affairs in Montreal are in a bad muddle. The nominations for the alderman elections are fixed to take place on February 1; but until the amendments to the city charter are passed by the Quebec Legislature, any election will be illegal, and the city will be running itself.

Mr. Armstrong, M.P., Dead.

LONDON, Jan 27.—James Armstrong, M. P. for South Middlesex, is dead, after ten days illness from a complication of diseases. Mr. Armstrong was elected to Parliament in 1882, and was re-elected in 1887 and 1891.

Hanlan and Gaudaur.

TORONTO, Jan. 27.—Hanlan has agreed to race with Gaudaur at Pullman, and has covered Gaudaur's forfeit. He, however, wants the race on July 4 instead of May 30, as proposed by Gaudaur, and if any trophy offered by Mr. St. John is rowed for it must be worth $5,000.

Trans-Atlantic Steamships.

QUEBEC, Jan. 27.—The Council of the Board of Trade has petitioned the Dominion Government for the early establishment of a fast line of trans-Atlantic steamships.

HAMILTON, Jan. 27.—The Hamilton Board of Trade yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution favoring Government assistance in securing a fast Atlantic service.

Quebec Legislative Council.

QUEBEC, Jan. 27.—The debate on the abolition of the Legislative Council has been resumed in the Assembly. Several speeches for and against the proposal were made. Among those opposing the abolition was Hon. Mr. Flynn, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Missionary Frozen.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 27.—A missionary named Sam. D. Wood, who has been laboring among the Indians east of here, was brought into the city this morning with his two feet badly frozen. On Christmas day while crossing Lac Seul he lost his way and was compelled to sleep out on the ice during the night. In the morning he was found by some natives and subsequently sent into the city. Probably he will lose both feet.

Fires at Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 27.—Hardly had the fire in the Montgomery House been extinguished last night before the flames broke out in Cloutier's grocery store, about a mile away. Cloutier's premises and King's Dye Works were burned to the ground. Mr. King was badly singed about the head. The loss on the Montgomery House is $6,000; on Cloutier's, $8,000, insured for $6,000; King's loss is $1,000, insured for $6,000.

Quebec Estimates.

QUEBEC, Jan. 27.—Hon. Mr. Hall brought down the estimates to-day, and will deliver his budget speech on Tuesday.

ROMAN BANK SCANDALS.

Official Statement Made by the President of the Italian Council—An Investigation Necessary.

ROME, Jan. 27.—The Chamber of Deputies last evening was crowded with people anxious to hear an official statement regarding the bank scandals. Signor Giovanni Giolitti, president of the council and minister of the interior, said the excess of the Banca Romana's notes amounted to 65,000,000 lires. He believed that amalgamation of the issue of banks for which the Government had arranged would suffice to guarantee the circulation of the Banca Romana's notes, and he promised that a bill dealing with the question of issue by banks would be introduced in parliament. To the demand for a parliamentary inquiry into the scandals he could not accede, he said, as such an inquiry would be a reproach to the cabinet, which had never yet flinched in the discharge of its duties.

Marquis di Rudini, ex-premier, declared that an investigation of the scandals was imperatively necessary. A number of prominent men, including ex-ministers, deputies and journalists, are openly charged with having received money from the Banca Romana for years. The judicial inquiry is said to have shown that the Banca Romana had supplied the ministry with a large amount of money in the last election. The failure of the Banca Romana is expected to cause a collapse of several other institutions, notably the Banca Industrial.

Signor Tanlongo, governor of the Banca Romana, has refused to answer questions at present, but he promises to reveal everything before the judges.

The name of ex-Prime Minister Crispi has been mixed up in the scandal growing out of the irregularities in the Bank of Rome, which led to the arrest of the governor and cashier of that concern. The public is on the *qui vive* for further developments.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROPERTY.

A Birmingham Anarchist Practically Demonstrates How It Is Intended to Deal With Other People's Goods.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Christopher Davies, a leader among the Birmingham Anarchists, smashed a jeweler's window in New street, Birmingham, this afternoon, and snatched two handfuls of watches and rings. When a policeman started to arrest him Davies threw the jewelry into the gutter, but did not run. The watches and rings were valued at $700 or $800. Most of them were recovered by the jeweler's clerks. In the Police court, Davies acknowledged that he took the jewelry, but protested against the imputation of robbery. He did not want the watches and rings for his own use, he said, but took them and scattered them in the gutter to call people's attention to the unequal distribution of property. The magistrate committed him for trial. As he was being taken from the courtroom, Davies shouted: "Long live anarchy!" and two men in the crowd who had followed him from New street responded: "Long live anarchy!" These two men were at once arrested. The magistrate released one of them after cautioning him against repeating the offence; the other was remanded.

FISHERY COMMISSION.

A Representative of the United States Appointed to Confer With an Agent Named by Great Britain.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Under the terms of agreement Secretary of State Foster, has appointed Richard Rathburn, commissioner on the part of the United States. He will meet within the next few weeks at Washington a commissioner to be appointed for Canada, and the two will investigate and report on the best and most expedient methods for preserving the fishes of the waters contiguous to the United States and Canada, and also joint regulations for the preservation and protection of the fishes of the Atlantic ocean within the jurisdiction of the two countries. As soon as the report of the commissioners are presented, the Government will consider the same and exchange views thereon to the end of reaching, if expedient and practicable, such conventional or other understanding as may suffice to carry out the recommendations of the commissioners by treaty or concurrent legislation on the part of the respective Governments or the Legislatures of the several States and Provinces, or both, as may be found most advisable.

DALTON McCARTHY.

The Empire Says It Only Did Its Duty In Directing Attention to His Course.

TORONTO, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Dalton McCarthy, in his speech at Stayner, on Wednesday night, defended himself from the recent bitter attacks made upon him by the Empire. To-day the Conservative organ, in a two column editorial article on Mr. McCarthy, declares that in directing attention to the action contemplated by that gentleman, and which he has now consummated, namely, his final departure from the Conservative party, it was simply doing what it believed to be its duty to the public and the party. It further declares that every word of that article has been justified by subsequent events.

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Butcher knives at Fox's.

Cubb's Cough Cure—sure remedy for croup.

Try Victoria Lager.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to return thanks to the agents of the London and Canadian Fire Insurance Company, and the Western Assurance Company of Toronto for the prompt manner in which my claims were paid for loss by fire on the night of Wednesday, 25th instant.

JOHN HAWKINS,
Victoria, January 27, 1893. 59 Fort street.
ja28-1t

TO LET—3 6-room houses at nine dollars per month; corner shop, 7 rooms, at ten dollars per month. Apply C. Farrington, 13 North street, Spring Ridge. ja28-5t

Auction, Tuesday, Jan. 31, 11 a.m.

FURNITURE, ETC.

I have been instructed by Mrs. W. H. Routledge to sell by auction at her residence, 115 Humboldt and Park streets, all her well-kept furniture, consisting of:

DRAWING ROOM suite (seven pieces), conversation chair, 2 gipsy tables, cane arm chair, fancy rocking chair, 2 occasional tables, 1 large bronze lamp whatnot, easel and picture, 1 large mantel glass with brackets, 3 pair vases and ornaments, 7 fine engravings and etchings, 1 brass curb, fire irons and coal scuttle, brass kettle and stand, 1 pair fancy lace curtains and pole, 1 velvet pile carpet with border, 3 skin rugs, Brussels rugs, handsome gas chandelier.

DINING ROOM—Dining table, 1 Vienna settee and 6 chairs, 1 sideboard, wine and claret glasses, decanters, liquor set, fancy dishes, etc., claret basket, 7 engravings and etchings, 1 Brussels carpet with border, Sunny Hearth stove, rugs.

STUDY—Writing tables, book case, chairs, rocker, walnut table, jug, tray and glasses, International Encyclopædia (15 vols), Standard Poets' Works (9 vols.), 1 atlas, 1 Webster Dictionary, lot novels, letter press, clips, etc., curtains and poles, engravings.

BEDROOMS—2 furnished bedrooms, with bedroom suites, mattresses, pillows, etc., complete; toilet sets, carpets, curtains, rugs, mirrors, lounge, etc.

Hall carpets, linoleum, hat stand and lamp. Croquet set.

KITCHEN—1 fine Model Range No. 8, step ladder, garden tools, wheelbarrow, hose.

Two thoroughbred Irish Terriers (Paddy and Biddy), 1 thoroughbred St. Bernard (female), prize winner.

Goods may be seen on Monday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m.

ja28 G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE

BARK ASSEL

(Capt. Gilmore)

FROM LONDON.

This vessel will commence discharging at our inner wharf on Monday morning, January 30. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods remaining on wharf after 5 p.m. each day will be stored at risk and expense of consignee.

ja28 R. P. RITHET & CO., LTD.

British Barque Assel

(Capt. Gilmore)

FROM LONDON

Neither Capt. Gilmore nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

R. P. RITHET & CO., LTD.,
jan27-6t Consignees.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

New Canneries For the Fraser Catch —Northern Pacific Preparations For Their Branch.

The Eight Alleged Kidnappers Choose Speedy Trial—Illegal Liquor Selling Punished.

[Special to the COLONIST.

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 27.—Judge Bole has wired the Attorney-General asking for the appointment of a Clerk of the Peace for Vancouver District, to try cases under the Speedy Trial Act.

All firms collecting the poll tax from their employes will be allowed five per cent.

The Finance committee have decided that City Clerk McGuigan did not exceed his duty as returning Officer by recounting the ballots in Ward 4.

Citizens will hereafter be obliged to attend to their own scavenging through the licensed scavengers.

The water supply was cut off yesterday, owing to a jam at the dam.

The Hastings Mills are laying a railroad track at Hemming, and a locomotive to haul logs will be shortly on the scene.

Mr. D. E. Brown left for Australia yesterday, in the interests of the C. P. R.

Messrs. Percy Dickinson, H. S. Huson, Mayor of Tacoma, and J. M. Ashton, attorney of the Northern Pacific, were here yesterday in the interest of their branch railway, the Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley railroad. As soon as the by-law is made secure, engineers will be set to work locating the line. Mr. Ashton thought the road would be built within a year of its commencement. The Board of Works have agreed to allow the use of the streets asked.

The ship Katharine will finish loading lumber at Moodyville about the middle of next week.

The Chilian bark Lake Leman, which sailed from Moodyville with lumber, arrived at Valparaiso, December 18.

Steamer Comet left on Wednesday for Hemming bay with two scows in tow, but owing to the rough weather had to return. She went out again last night.

Steamer Capilano arrived yesterday morning from Nelson island with a cargo of granite from the quarries there for use on the new city hall at Portland, Ore.

The San Francisco firm that chartered the steamship Grandholm from the Union Steamship Company have given her up, as they find they cannot compete with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company on the route between San Francisco and Central America.

Steamship Wilmington arrived last night from Portland with 140 tons of freight, principally for transhipment to China. She touched at Victoria on her way up, and was thirteen hours making this port from Victoria, being objiged to lay to in Plumper's pass on account of the storm.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 27.—The cold weather continues, and the ice on Burnaby lake is thicker than it has been in several years.

The great fire on Mud Bay flats last night, led many people to think that the neighborhood was being entirely burned up.

Five new canneries will be built between London's landing and Steveston during the next three months, and all will be completed in time to pack the sockeye's run. Several of these are now well under way, and others will be commenced with the first favorable weather.

Old Garry Point cannery will be removed shortly to a site adjoining the Britannia Cannery Company at English bay. The point is wasting away rapidly and the removal of the buildings and plant has become a necessity in order to save them.

E. A. Wadhams has resigned the management of Wadhams' cannery, and Frank Lord will succeed him.

M. M. English, it is reported, will be appointed general superintendent of all the Anglo-British Columbia Company's canneries on the Fraser.

Preparations for next summer's pack are becoming general at the canneries. Indian labor is expected to be scarce this year.

Over sixty men are at present employed on the North Arm road working out the recent Government appropriation, which is now almost expended. No reply has yet been received to the petitions sent down asking for a further appropriation, and several miles of road yet remain to be completed.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Jan. 27.—The eight prisoners committed for trial in the Bawnmore kidnapping case will be tried before Judge Harrison on Monday, under the Speedy Trial Act. Thomas Johnson, committed for trial this morning charged with plugging a rifle belonging to Captain Freeman of the Glory of the Seas, will also be tried the same day.

S. Cornello, an Italian, who pleaded guilty to supplying Watt Jacobson with bottles of beer on Sunday was fined $50 and costs. He also had to pay a further sum of $25 for a half year's retail liquor license, making a total of $130.

Six Japs were up in the Police court this afternoon. It seems they were under contract for work at Union, but in a trouble between them and the Chinese, the former struck work and left. The six men are in jail now; they cannot speak English. They were remanded till Tuesday next when an interpreter will be present.

The Indians at the other end of the town had a big dance and potlach last night. The celebration was kept up to an early hour this morning. Everything went off smoothly.

The bachelors of Alberni gave a ball last Tuesday in the court house. A large crowd was present and a most enjoyable time was spent.

At a meeting of the subscribers for the Wellington Hospital to be built soon, a report was read showing that $1,105 had been collected. It was decided to delay further action until at least $2,000 had been collected. It is expected the hospital will be built early in the spring.

Arrived ss. Wilmington.

VERNON.

(From the News.)

Good progress is being made on the Earl of Aberdeen's jam factory, and when completed it will be a fine building.

W. Gill, inland revenue inspector, and J. E. Miller, collector, were in Vernon last week and visited Vernon Spring brewery in their official capacity.

Smith & Clerin's planing mills shut down last week for a short time.

There are a number of applicants for the clerkship in Vernon.

The Vernon race committee purpose having a winter meeting on Swan Lake on Saturday, February 4.

The crew of the Pentic'on captured alived on Okanagan lake last week, a large swan which measured 8 feet 4 inches from tip to tip of wings, and 5 feet 4 inches from beak to toe. It weighed 30 pounds and was pure white.

Mr. Shupe has heard from Mr. Taggart in Vancouver, to the effect that he had fully decided upon giving Vernon a trial. In about a month Vernon will have a candy factory.

Mr. Drennan, of Enderby, brought us in last week, a hollyhock in bloom that was found growing out in an unprotected spot in a garden.

A painful accident occurred last week in Coldstream valley, when Henry Keefer, son of Mr. George Keefer, had the misfortune to break his leg.

A mountain lion was brought to Mr. Pound last week to be stuffed. It was shot down on the Similkameen by Mr. H. Y. Rizeor, who lives across the boundary, but the animal was shot on this side of the line. It measured 8 feet 6 inches in length.

During the past week Mr. Pound has got three swans, all of which were taken in Okanagan lake.

On Monday at 12 o'clock the all important ceremony of swearing in the new Council took place before His Honor Judge Spinks, in the new Government building.

The bounty on wolves and coyotes granted by the Provincial Government is having a good effect, for already a considerable number have been killed.

A great deal of conjecture is heard as to who will take the place of the late G. G. Mackay in the active headship of the Okanagan Land and Development Co. In all probability it will be Mr. Wulffsohn.

KELOWNA.

Business is quiet, but lively times are looked for in the spring. Even now town lots are in demand, several being sold last week. Regarding the Okanagan country, a writer in a late English paper gives a glowing description of it, as "the hunter's paradise." Stock-raising and wheat-growing in this valley will soon be a thing of the past, and dairying, fruit and hop growing its principal industry.

Large quantities of pressed hay and oats are being shipped by nearly every boat to the lower country and across the boundary line.

A well-attended meeting was held at the Hotel Kelowna a few evenings ago to discuss the advisability of forming a telephone company, which was finally resolved upon, placing the stock at $10,000 divided into 2,000 shares of $5 each.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Henry Clew's New York Circular of January 21 Bespeaks Improvement in the Values of Securities.

The intrinsic firmness of the Stock Market so apparent for some months in the face of unusually depressing influences, seems to be at last finding expression in a genuine upward tendency of prices. Wall street has watched those influences with remarkable self-possession, and, whilst the "bears" have been permitted to use the unfavorable circumstances to their full bent, holders have steadily stuck to their properties, from confidence that the dangers would not prove permanent and that sooner or later the market would take a favorable turn. It has required no little nerve and steadiness of judgment to hold on against conditions sufficient to create general demoralization; and it is no small guarantee for the future of the market that it is in control of holders so well qualified by foresight and resources to take care of their interests.

Perhaps the most potent influence that has held back the "bulls" from active operations has been the uncertainty as to what might develop out of the silver situation. They have cared less for what might come out of the negotiations with foreign powers than for what might be done by congress in respect to home silver purchases. Within the last few weeks evidence has been daily accumulating of an earnestness and unanimity of public feeling against further increasing our stock of that metal which puts it almost beyond doubt that, before the danger point is reached, the law of 1890 will surely be repealed without qualification; this growing belief not only seems to strengthen confidence in our currency system but will also greatly improve the chances of a settlement of the whole question through the adoption of an international system of bimetallism.

It is mainly the growth of faith in respect to this contingency that has contributed to the upward tendency in prices, which has developed with the opening of the new year. The impulse has also been helped by the fact that prices have been comparatively low. The market has for months past failed to respond to the tendencies legitimately arising from the great crops of 1891, and to the unusually prosperous activity of business throughout 1892. The strengthening tone of the stock market is also helped by the appearances that the export movement in gold will soon exhaust itself; and the "street" is disposed to the opinion that we have about reached the culmination of the extraordinary shipments of that metal. Four important circumstances seem to distinctly favor that view.

(1) The probability of the Government suspending purchases of silver favors the cessation of the return of our securities from Europe and may quite possibly create a new demand for them from English investors. Indeed, for some weeks past, this tendency has been quite conspicuous, the exports of securities having largely exceeded the amounts returned.

(2) The dangerously unsettled state of French politics and the remarkable declarations of the German Chancellor in giving his reasons for an enlargement of the Imperial army, are both calculated to unsettle confidence in a wide range of European investments, which would naturally have the effect of improving the demand for American securities.

(3) Again; the prospect of the reduction of duties upon a wide range of our imports is calculated to restrict our foreign purchases of such articles until the change in the duties takes effect, which will probably not be earlier than eighteen months hence. This tendency will be likely to give us a healthier condition of our foreign trade balance through 1893 than existed in 1892.

(4) And, again, the accumulations of gold in Europe within the past year have been so large that it is hardly likely the movement will be further encouraged. The seven great national banks of Europe now held $100,000,000 more gold than they did a year ago, of which only $25,000,000 has gone towards the monetary preparations of Austria-Hungary; showing that these institutions are carrying very unusually large cash balances; and, considering that prevailing rates of interest are exceptionally low, and that business is everywhere depressed and home investments in a measure discredited, it seems more reasonable to expect that these idle funds will seek outside employment than that they will be intentionally augmented.

Concurrently with these probabilities of a more favorable course of the gold movement, after next Saturday's shipments, there is the usual large reflux of currency from the interior incident to this season of the year. The prospect thus favors an ease in the local money market from this time forward; and the fact is producing a disposition among leaders to put out their funds more freely on time loans, which is calculated to encourage the upward tendency in the prices for securities. Thus the leading factors affecting the stock market appear to be distinctly favorable to an improvement in values, and purchases of good stocks at current prices are likely to yield a profit; but, in view of uncertainties that nevertheless attend the situation, we advise taking profits occasionally on the pronounced bulges, so as to be in a position to buy in again on the set-backs.

The Old Liberty Bell.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Some time in April the Old Liberty Bell is to be taken from Independence Hall to Chicago, there to be placed on exhibition at the World's Fair, and a programme is being mapped out that will make the journey of the venerable relic a triumphal one. Stops are to be made at all the large cities on the way to the West, and Old Liberty will be welcomed and garlanded with flowers with as much heartiness as though it were a living, breathing thing, and capable of appreciating the homage paid to it. At Harrisburg the House and Senate will adjourn, and an elaborate reception programme will be carried out.

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James McLauchlin, Defendant.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 22nd day of November, 1892, and to me directed in the above suit, for the sum of $321.36 and $11.57 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $321.36 from the 29th day of April, 1892, besides sheriff's fees and poundage, I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion street, in the City of Victoria, on Thursday, the 2nd day of February, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said James McLauchlin, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the judgment debt and expenses of this action.

District, Town or City.	No. of Lot	Concise Description of Property.	Estate or Interest.
Victoria City.	W. halves of Lots 19, 20 and 21, Constance Cove Farm Map No. 286.	West halves of Lots 19, 20 and 21, according to subdivision plan of acre lots 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, Constance Cove Farm, Section X, Esquimalt District; filed in the Land Registry office at Victoria and numbered 286	Estate in Fee Simple. The only charge registered against this property is the judgment herein for $498.36 debt and $75 costs, which was registered on the 3rd day of June, 1892.

When to be Sold.	Where to be Sold.
Thursday, 2nd day of February, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon.	At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion street, Victoria.

The judgment herein was registered in the Land Registry office, Victoria, against the said lands the 3rd day of June, 1892.

J. E. McMILLAN,
ja27-6t Sheriff.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between Low Wing Yuen, Low Ho Yuen and Low Wy Yuen, carrying on business under the name of Ting Lee & Bros., as vegetable gardeners, has been dissolved this day.

The store business at 53 Fisguard street, Victoria, will in future be carried on by Low Wing Yuen and Low Ho Yuen under the old firm name of Ting Lee & Bro. The vegetable garden and the business in connection therewith will be carried on by Low Wy Yuen and Ah Kong, under the firm name of Ting Lee.

Dated at Victoria this 13th January, 1893.

LOW HO YUEN.
LOW WY YUEN.
LOW WING YUEN.
ja11-1m AH KONG.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Gowen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all claims against the estate of the above named deceased, must be sent in, duly vouched, to me the undersigned, and all debts owing to the said estate must be paid to me before the 6th day of February, A. D., 1893.

LINDLEY CREASE,
16 Chancery Lane, Victoria, B. C.
jan7-1m Solicitor for the executors.

NOTICE.

Two bay horses have been running in the enclosures on the ranch of the undersigned, at Pike Lake, Highland district. If the same are not claimed in ten days from the date of this notice and all expenses paid, they will be sold by public auction. Both horses are branded. Application to be made at 51 Langley street, Victoria HENRY DUMBLETON.
Dated January 21, 1893. jan21.tf

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that having sold the business of Thomas Harding, Vancouver bakery, to Messrs. Simmons & Coker, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and patrons for past favors and ask that the same be extended to the new firm. Persons having claims against are requested to present the same, and all persons indebted to me are requested to pay such indebtedness to W. Bickford, 63 Fort street.

ELIZABETH MARY HARDING,
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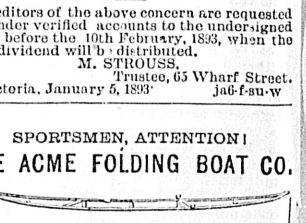

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Troubles of the Bark "Fairchild"—The Tug Master Disclaims Any Responsibility.

Unconfirmed Report of the Loss of a Sealer—The "Flintshire" Sent Into Quarantine.

The San Francisco Examiner of the 19th inst. contained, relative to the bark General Fairchild, the following: "The Fairchild left Puget Sound for San Pedro on January 11 in tow of the tug Lorne. When she got into the heavy sea off Cape Flattery the heavy strain proved too much for the hawser and it parted. The bark had no sail on when the accident occurred, and she fell off into the trough of the sea and was for a time unmanageable. As fast as possible sail was got on the vessel, but not until the big seas had swept her decks and caused her to roll so violently that she started a leak." With respect to these statements Capt. Locke writes:

"I beg to state that there was not a heavy sea running when the bark Gen. Fairchilds was towed to sea, but a heavy swell usual at Flattery in winter; that no seas swept her decks, and that she did not roll heavily in the trough of the swell, but swung before it, viz: stern to. Although the hawser did part it was done through neglect on board the bark in not having it parceled in the nip.

"After the hawser parted the Lorne immediately went alongside the bark and gave the hawser again, and towed her about fifteen miles further to sea; then, and not until then, did the bark General Fairchilds set sail and sail away. There was not much wind and we were within sight all the remainder of the day. L. P. LOCKE,
"Master str. Lorne."

LEFT IN ESQUIMALT FOR ANOTHER DAY.

The tug Mystery went to Esquimalt for the bark Assel yesterday; but as the weather was rough, and as the bark's anchors had in some way got foul of the warship's moorings, it was decided not to take her round to the Victoria harbor until to-day. She will commence discharging freight at R. P. Rithet's inner wharf on Monday morning.

INCOMING PASSENGERS.

A telegram from San Francisco yesterday announces the sailing of the Walla Walla with the following cabin passengers on board for Victoria: Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Cawley, Mrs. A. G. McCandless, Mrs. A. Graham, Capt. Linn, J. L. Holland, Mrs. A. Gilmour, J. H. Cunard, Mrs. Phillips, G. B. Grandber, Lena Phillips, W. F. Cornell, F. Boggs, Mrs. Sharyes, Rev. and Mrs. Hemus.

A STARTLING REPORT.

A report was circulated yesterday that the sealing schooner May Belle had been capsized off Cape Flattery, and that all hands, meaning a crew of twenty men, were lost. An endeavor was made by newspaper men, and also by her owners here, to trace the rumor to its origin, but the report proved to be entirely without foundation.

THE FLINTSHIRE ARRIVES.

The N. P. N. steamer Flintshire from China and Japan arrived at noon yesterday, and was ordered into quarantine at Albert Head, a stowaway with an infectious disease having been discovered on board.

THE END OF AN UNFORTUNATE CRUISE.

The sealing schooner C. H. Tupper, together with her supplies and all equipments, will be sold by public auction this afternoon, as she lies stranded at Pedder bay.

MARINE NOTES.

Tug Sadie towed the steamer Constance in alongside Spratt & Gray's wharf yesterday, where her wheel was examined at low tide last evening.

The Falcon went to Nanaimo yesterday for a load of coal.

Bark Detroit cleared at San Francisco for Nanaimo yesterday.

ENTERED.

Str. Flintshire..... from Yokohama.
" City of Kingston..... " Port Townsend.
" Islander..... " Vancouver.
" Maude..... " Nanaimo.
" Rainbow..... " Port Townsend.

CLEARED.

Str. Islander..... for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston..... " Port Townsend.
" Falcon..... " Nanaimo.
" Alert..... " "

VICTORIA'S WATER.

TO THE EDITOR:—Much has been of late written about "Elk Lake" water, the presence of bacteria, and so forth. Bacteria exist everywhere, most of them harmless; some few injurious, but no one has ever shown the latter to exist in the lake or pipes issuing therefrom. No prevalent disease, to the best of my information, has ever been traced to this source, but now the suggestion has been published, for what purpose is doubtful, no doubt sooner or later a scare will be got up, for Victorians are fond of a "scare excitement," and rapidly supplied therewith. There is, however, good reason for believing that the supply of water from Elk Lake cannot be increased, and, further, that the quantity is now and will shortly be more inadequate. If a few water pipes be left running for a night or two and then a fire occur the pressure is said by the fire brigade to be insufficient against any serious conflagration. This is said to have been the case last evening. The quantity of water capable of being collected in the lake, i. e. the reservoir, cannot be greater than the rainfall over the area draining into the lake. Enlarging the reservoir will not increase the rainfall, and so an enlargement will not, at all events, give any more water, but may indeed, give less, by creating a lower level, and thus give even a smaller quantity of water to the city. It is said Prospect lake may be used to afford an additional supply. This may or may not be the case; it may or may not be practicable; may or may not be either beneficial or economical. The assertion remains, that in the near future, even if not now, the quantity of water at Elk lake will fall far short of the needs of the city, which will use more and more according to the rate at which the houses are connected with the sewers, and, of course, the additional population. Before any more civic money be wasted on the present water system, it will be well to inquire whether some other arrangement more beneficial can or cannot be had.

If any one will undertake a pleasant and easy trip to the head of Goldstream, he will find a big dam already made there—a wonderful piece of engineering to my unprofessional eye—a very large reservoir capable of supplying half a dozen Victorias, even if the people let their cocks run at night in frosty weather or irrigated their gardens during the summer months, sewerage included. The rainfall there is treble that of the country about Elk lake, and the reservoir has been cleaned, cleared of all fallen timber, stumps and trees; the basin is clean; the country around preserved and not used by man for any noxious purpose, in fact is uninhabitable, so the water is so pure that even an enthusiastic analyst, who can generally find what his heart throbs tumultuously to discover, will be disappointed at not finding noxious bacter aand soforth. This reservoir is situated at least one thousand feet above the level of Victoria, so water without the aid of engines could be thrown over the tallest steeple in Victoria if the pipes would bear the pressure force, and the residences on the highest ground in the city could be supplied without the aid of pumping.

This matter must sooner or later come before the civic authorities, and will possibly be dealt with in a sensible manner; but let the public be on their guard, and not allow themselves to be "scared" by professional "scarers" about the Elk lake bacteria. Scares are very costly, generally wasteful, must be avoided, and any negotiations must, or ought to be, conducted uprightly, fairly and honestly. X.

PITY THE POOR HORSES!

TO THE EDITOR:—My attention has repeatedly (and especially for the past couple of days) been drawn to that thoughtless and most inhuman practice of permitting the poor horses on the hack stands to remain in a stationary position for hours in succession uncovered, thus being exposed to the full severity of our piercing winds. The amount of suffering thus inflicted upon these poor animals by their owners or keepers is almost inconceivable. I believe that I shall meet with general approval in expressing the hope of seeing public sentiment properly aroused upon this subject.
HUMANITY.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CHAMBERS.

Jan. 27, 1893.

N. E. T. & L. Co. v. Paterson et al.—To amend statement of claim. Amendment allowed. Costs to be costs in cause. Leave to defendants to amend if present order affects them.

Saunders v. Kingham—To amend endorsement on writ. Leave granted to amend writ. Appearance by consent. Leave to defendant to amend if affected by order.

Adams v. McBeath—For examination of defendant. Application for discovery abandoned. Order to goon deposit of $10.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

Rear Admiral Ammen, of the American Navy, Gives an Opinion on the Subject.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 26.—No American has been more prominent in urging the construction of a canal across Central America than Rear Admiral Daniel Ammen. Admiral Ammen was mentioned in the interview of ex-Secretary of the Navy R. W. Thompson some days ago as one of those who appeared before the House committee on foreign relations on January 11, when that committee refused to invoke the Monroe doctrine against French encroachment on Panama. The admiral, who is now relieved, was asked if he would not like to throw some light on the suspected corruption in America in connection with the Panama canal. The admiral answered:—

All I know is merely a matter of suspicion. I care to say nothing concerning that, but I would like to say a few words concerning Col. Thompson's views on this subject. The interview of Col. Thompson, published on January 23, is gratifying in the statement that 500 cars were built in Indiana, and dredges, locomotives and other machinery paid for out of the $2,000,000 sent to this country, which Charles de Lesseps was reported as saying had been turned to good account and was, in fact, usefully spent, but that no account was rendered. Let us hope that in justice to Col. Thompson, as the head of the American Panama Canal syndicate, and his associates, Charles de Lesseps will correct his statement. Col. Thompson errs in supposing that I appeared before the Foreign Affairs committee of the house to argue the validity of the Monroe doctrine as against the Panama canal. Looking over the question of bribery, in which Col. Thompson sees no possible motive other than to repress the Monroe doctrine resolutions, I would suggest another possibility which has escaped his acumen. At that time the Maritime Canal Company, of Nicaragua, holding a very liberal concession, far more so than held by De Lesseps at Panama, was endeavoring to obtain simply an act of incorporation from Congress without any guarantees, and was unable to do so in all the period of the excitement, and the concession, which had an extension of time, finally expired by limitation. Now, it occurs to me that Diauzats, the chief engineer at Panama at that time, when asked by a reporter in relation to the Nicaragua canal as a possible obstruction, replied that De Lesseps would know how to repress that, as he had too many friends in the United States to allow that to proceed. It is a curious fact, as stated before, that the Maritime Canal Company, of Nicaragua, then holding a very admirable concession on the route pronounced upon by Government commissioners as commercially practicable and superior to any other route known, could never obtain a single act of incorporation, even when shorn of any guarantee. I recall this fact to the memory of Col. Thompson, who has doubtless forgotten all about it after such a lapse of time. I recall the fact, too, that in a minority report adverse to the granting of the act of incorporation, very laudatory mention was made of the Suez canal, and that as De Lesseps was at work at Panama, we might count upon a canal. A strange reason for denying an act of incorporation to build a Nicaragua canal, for which there had been granted a concession. Gen. Grant was ostentatiously offered the presidency of the American branch of the Panama canal by cablegram from Paris. He declined the offer, and stated in reply that, desirous as he was to connect his name with a canal across this continent, he was nevertheless unwilling to do so in a project which he felt sure would end in the loss of all the capital invested. At a later date another cablegram from Paris ostentatiously announced that the American minister of marine had accepted the American presidency of the Panama Canal Company at a salary of $25,000. A reporter interviewed the American minister of marine in the person of Col. Thompson, and was informed that he had received so tempting an offer that it was impossible to decline. The reporter was malicious enough to add that the American minister of marine had little idea of his own value as a stool pigeon to entrap French peasants and small rentiers.

Loring Pickering's Will.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The will of the late Loring Pickering, one of the proprietors of the Morning Call and Evening Bulletin, was filed for probate to day. The value of the estate is not given, but half was left to his widow, the other half to his son.

ANOTHER TRIUMPH!

THE GOOD WORK GOES ON!

THE WONDERFUL LETTERS ALL COME FROM CANADIANS.

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GLAD NEWS FROM OTTAWA!

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A few short months ago Mr. Frederick Finter, of Cedar Gate, Ottawa, Ont., suffered excruciating agony. His case was a very critical one; his hopes of life were very feeble and slim. The skill of experienced medical men was of no avail; and, the ordinary and every-day patent medicines gave no measure of relief. Mr. Finter thanks God for his wonderful and almost miraculous deliverance from death through the agency of Paine's Celery Compound. Mr. Finter's letter, which is dated Dec. 22, 1892, reads as follows:—

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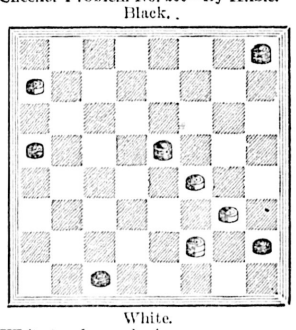
FREDERICK FINTER.

Mr. Finter is vouched for and recommended by the Rev. W. W. Quicke, rector of St. David's Church, Ottawa.

CHECKERS AND CHESS.

Checker Problem No. 200—By Ailsie.

Black.

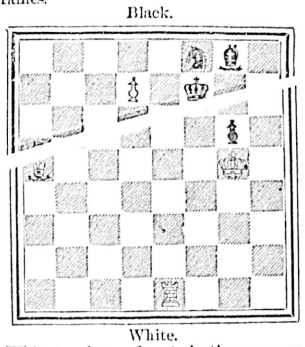


White.

White to play and win.

Chess Problem No. 200—By Lloyd Grames.

Black.



White.

White to play and mate in three moves.

SOLUTIONS.

Checker problem No. 199:

Black.	White.
1..10 to 14	1..26 to 21
2..27 to 23	2..22 to 18
3..14 to 17	3..18 to 15
4..17 to 22	4..15 to 11
5..23 to 19, and wins	

Chess problem No. 199:

Black.	White.
1..Kt to Kt 6 ch	1..R P x Kt
2..Q—R 3 ch	2..K moves
3..Q mates	
If	1..K to Kt sq
2..B x P ch	2..R x B
3..Q x R mate	

Mr. P. C. Allen, who will teach violin, harmony, composition, etc., and Mr. Robert Geddes, who will teach guitar and banjo, have arrived in this city and will commence giving instruction at once in the Conservatory of Music, 97 Quadra street. Mr. Allen has recently returned from Leipzig, where he has been pursuing a course of study at the Royal Conservatory of Music. He has had a long experience in teaching both in America and in Germany, in which latter place he often prepared pupils for the classes in the Conservatory. Mr. Geddes has for years been one of the leading guitar and banjo teachers in San Francisco and other cities, and comes highly recommended. For terms and particulars apply to the principal, L. M. Adams. ja24-3t

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House and 2 lots, Pembroke st., easy terms, $1,000. 110-1

324 acres farm land, about 70 acres in clover and timothy, small house, well, good spring, etc., 0-

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6-room house, bath, etc.; corner lot, Henry and Turner streets, $3,500. 136-4

320 acres, Alberni; 100 cleared; house, barn, ditching, etc. Cheap, $6,500, on terms. 144-3

97 acres, South Saanich; dwelling, barns, stable, out-houses, etc. $4,200. 142-3

40 acres, South Saanich. $1,400. 142-4

Building lot, 60 feet by 132 feet, Chatham street, near Blanchard. $1,650. 141-2

7-Room House and double lot; a bargain. $1,400. 139-1

237 acres, Somenos Lake. 138-5

6-Room House and lot, Spring Ridge.—1,250. 133-3

80 acres, Alberni, 2½ miles from the townsite. $20 per acre. 147-1

80 acres, Alberni, 2½ miles from the townsite. $15 per acre. 147-2

40 acres, Lake District. $10 per acre. 145-1

2 Building Lots, Rithet street, each $1000. 149-1

156 acres, Comox, convenient to steamer, post office, church, school, sawmill, Union Mines, etc., good hunting and fishing, 70 acres cleared and fenced, orchard, well, springs, $9000 with coal right. 150

6-Room House and Lot, 44x120, more or less, on Pandora street, $4,500. 151-2

Large Building lot, 90x112, corner Niagara and South Turner streets. (Offer) 151-4

120 acres Farming Land, Alberni, within 2 miles steamboat landing, about 6 acres cleared and fenced, log cabin, sheep pen and shed, water power from creek, first class fruit ranch, $1,200. 152-1

86 acres first class Farming Land, close to steamboat landing, main road to Nanaimo runs through the property. Good water power, $1,200. 153-1

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1 2-Story House, 7 rooms, bathroom and pantry. (Offer)

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1 Cottage, 6 rooms, including kitchen, pantry, etc., $4,500. 156-1

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533 acres, sheep grazing land, Vesuvius Bay, 50 ewes, long sea frontage. $1,400. 158

107 acres, Ladner's Landing, all fenced and ditched; 70 acres timothy pasture; 7-room frame house, barns, water tank, 1 acre fruit, 3 horses, 7 pedigree Jersey cows, 1 bull, farming implements; a first-class farm. $10,700. 159-1

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410 acres (more or less), Comox District; 100 acres ploughed and fenced, 3-room frame house, barn 50 x 30 and sheds, stable 30 x 22 and shed, 1½ acres orchard, springs and creek through property; reserve coal; valuable farm. $10,500. 162-3

90 acres, Boundary Bay District; 25 acres ploughed, 5 acres cleared, 5-room frame house, barn 32 x 60, chicken house, 1½ acres orchard, bearing trees, well and spring, $3,200. 161-2

132 acres, Alberni. $15 per acre. 161-4

25 acres, Cowichan District, Macpherson station; 7-room house, barn 24 x 24, chicken house 24 x 24, 1 acre close fence, boundaries fenced, ¾ mile from station. $2,500 or offer. 161-5

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7-Room House, 38 Mason street, $10 per month. 9
7-Room House, 6 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 10
7-Room House, 8 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 11
7-Room House, 40 Mason street, $10 per month. 13
5-Room House, Jackson street. $14 per month. 2
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FOR LAW AND ORDER.

We are glad to see that the Nanaimo Free Press takes the right view of the Bawnmore case. It declares that the men who committed the outrage and those who countenance and aid them are "not friends of labor." This is emphatically true. They are not only not the friends of labor, but they are its most dangerous enemies. This is what the Free Press says about the case:—

The Provincial Department of the Administration of Justice have shown marked energy and commendable zeal in their endeavors to bring to justice those who perpetrated the outrage on non-union sailors of the steamship Bawnmore. Certain men have been arrested on suspicion of being participants in this unlawful and high-handed proceeding. As to the guilt or innocence of the individuals, that has yet to be decided by the courts of the land. Such outrageous actions are not in the true spirit of Unionism, and do more to the "pulling down" of the true interests of the working men than all the efforts of the capitalist and employer combined. The recent actions on behalf of the Coast Seaman's Union, if they are authorized at headquarters, look as if there was a determined effort to break up the union, for such actions are sure to bring about such a result. And that in their own ranks, for every true friend of labor must and will denounce the taking of men, even if they happen to be non-union, out of their beds at night at the point of a revolver, and kept captive for several days. It is acts similar in import to the Bawnmore affair that have wrecked the highest anticipations of labor. What a blow to up right labor is the verdict that finds the leading officer of a leading labor organization guilty of attempting to poison those opposed to him. When a surgeon wishes to extract a death dealing cancer from the human frame, he cuts deep and firm, if he wishes to save the patient's life. The surgeons of labor will also have to cut deep and clean, if they wish to uphold their cause and sustain even their present amount of organization. They will have to cut out from these organizations demagogues and schemers, who are ever on the alert to foster their own pet schemes and only too frequently feather their own nests. Organized labor is now on its trial, and the Free Press wishes it every practical and consistent success. The recent outrage on the Bawnmore should be condemned by every labor organization—even the Coast Seamen's Union,—for it is one of the worst boomerang blows that has been struck on this Coast in the name of organized labor. Actions like the Bawnmore incident will antagonize thousands who are now friendly to labor,—friends who are working honestly and faithfully, without expectation of fee or reward to bring about an improvement in the condition of the toilers. The crucial test is now being applied to the labor organizations as they at present exist and the system on which they are conducted. Their existence, let alone their further advancement, is now hanging in the balance. Will the true laborers rise to the emergency and retain the advance already secured? To do so will require cool judgment and conscientious work, and will also demand the relegation to oblivion of the demagogue, the sycophant, the schemer, and the cheat.

It is encouraging to see the Nanaimo paper thus speaking out manfully on the side of law and order. It has shown more courage and more independence than many of its contemporaries. It is somewhat singular, and not by any means a good sign, that so few of the provincial papers have had public spirit enough to condemn in fitting terms an act of lawlessness which can have no other effect than to bring the cause of labor into disrepute, not only in this Province but in every part of the continent. In being too timid to properly characterize the raid on the Bawnmore they directly encourage the lawless and the violent, and they do very serious injury to the cause of organized labor. A true friend will discountenance wrong-doing on the part of those in whom he takes an interest, will paint the offence in its true colors and will show to the best of his ability the evil effects it is sure to produce. It is not friendly, but the reverse to be silent and to refrain from honestly and earnestly warning those who are taking a wrong course, and who are storing up trouble for themselves. If any man who believes himself to be a friend of labor is angry with the Free Press for sounding the note of warning, he is exceedingly shortsighted and foolish. That paper is acting the part of a true and a judicious friend of Unionism and Unionists, while the newspapers which are, through fear, and what they regard as self-interest, silent, are not only derelict in their duty to the community, but they are not faithful to the cause which they profess to have at heart.

THE AMERICAN FARMER.

There is an overwhelming mass of evidence which goes to prove that the farmers of the United States are not in a flourishing condition. The speeches of the Farmers' Alliance orators show that they are not by any means prosperous. The platform of that organization tells the same story. The immense mortgage debt which they have been obliged to contract proves that they are in straitened circumstances. And now we have the Secretary of Agriculture in the United States, Mr. Rusk, bearing testimony to the low condition to which the United States farmer has fallen, and to the dreary prospect that there is before him. He says:

He is going from bad to worse, and every effort to extricate himself by that means sinks him deeper in the mire of failure. The only proper course lies in the reduction of acreage and production to meet the demand of domestic consumption and a normal requirement for exportation. The conditions which have at last overwhelmed cotton growers now threaten wheat growers, and unless there is a speedy reduction by choice there will be a further parallel in a reduction by force of circumstances.

What worse than this could be said of the English farmer, on whom the Americans expend such a vast amount of sympathy. No one who knows as much about the condition of the Canadian farmer as Mr. Secretary Rusk does about that of the United States farmer can, with any approach to truth, speak of him in so dismal a way.

GLARINGLY INCONSISTENT.

It is amusing to see the men who favor annexation denouncing Canadian protection and attributing to it the exodus and almost every other evil of which they complain. They evidently forget that protection in the United States is higher and has a much wider range than it has in Canada. How is it that a trade policy which they denounce as the bane of Canada does not produce similar evils in the United States? The Canadian who becomes an American citizen to avoid protection and the evils which protection is said to produce jumps out of the frying pan into the fire. The Canadian who is an annexationist because he hates protection, is either a woefully ignorant creature or a downright fool. When he goes to the United States he leaves a country where protection is low for one in which protection is so high in many cases as to amount to prohibition. And the Americans are perfectly frank about the matter. They will tell the Canadian annexationist that they favor high duties on the products of foreign countries not because the Republic wants money, but because they wish to prevent those products from coming into the country. The protective duties in the United States are put on for the express purpose of keeping foreigners out of the market. Consequently, if protection injures a State, as most of the annexationists declare it does, it must do more harm to the United States than it does to Canada. The duties which the annexationists say keep a man poor in this country are in many cases not half so high as are the corresponding duties in the United States. For instance, the duty on woolen clothing in Canada is 10 cents a pound and 25 per cent. *ad valorem*, in the United States such clothing pays 50 cents a pound and 60 per cent. *ad valorem*. China ware pays in Canada a duty of 35 per cent., in the United States the duty is from 55 to 60 per cent. Cotton clothing pays in Canada a duty of 35 per cent., in the United States the burden of duty is 50 per cent, and so on with hundreds of other articles. Whatever a man may get rid of by leaving Canada and becoming a citizen of the United States, he does not get rid of protection. If the annexationist reads he will find the same arguments urged against protection in the United States as are urged against it in Canada. He will, indeed, if he has any sense of humor, be amused at seeing the very close resemblance that the denunciations of protection in the United States bear to the tirades against protection that he sees in the Liberal and annexationist papers of Canada. So much alike are they that, they with the alteration of a very few words, they could be made to do duty in either country.

But it is said the Americans are going to get rid of protection. Mr. Cleveland was made President to effect that purpose. Was he? Those who have seen the Mills tariff, which Mr. Cleveland approved of, will have a pretty fair idea of what the Democratic party mean by tariff revision. The present Canadian tariff is low compared with the tariff which the Democrats tried to pass, but were not able. We find that Mr. Cleveland is in no hurry to begin the work of tariff reform. The annexationists will have to wait nearly a year before they will have the opportunity of seeing what the Cleveland Democrats mean by tariff reform. When that time comes they will, or we are greatly mistaken, find that it does not mean free trade or anything approaching free trade.

The people of Canada if they do not like the trade policy of their Government can have it changed to their liking. If their country was part and parcel of the United States they, being but a thirteenth or fourteenth part of the population, would have but very little influence in determining its trade policy. They would have to be content to abide by the decision of the majority, and there is not the remotest chance of that majority favoring free trade.

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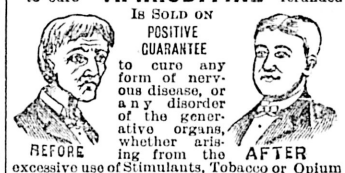

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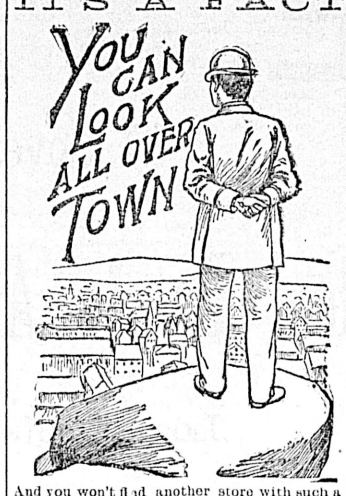

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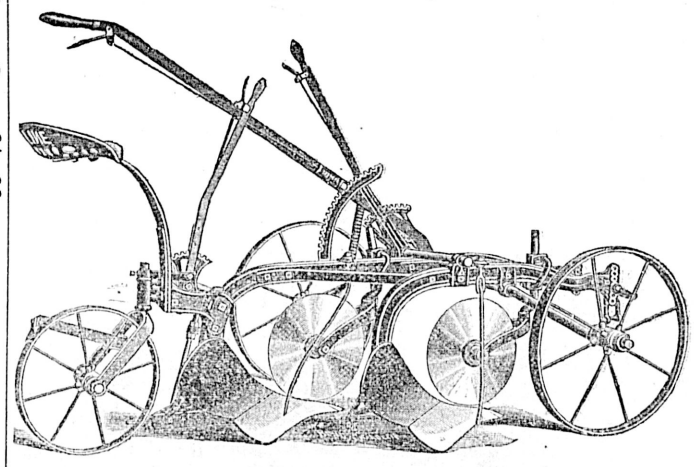

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The Fire Necessitated.

J. Hawkins, of the well known grocery, 54 Fort street, has removed to the opposite side of the street. The change will be only temporary.

A Table from the East.

The Victoria hotel billiard rooms has been made more attractive by the arrival yesterday of a new spring cushioned billiard table from the East.

Got One Year.

A. C. Bower, charged with robbing the safe of Collister & Barnsley, was up before Mr. Justice Walkem for trial yesterday morning. He was found guilty, and sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

One Rule Omitted.

Rule No. 6, as to the fees of members of the Anglo-American Club, was omitted through error when the constitution was printed a few days ago. New and complete copies will be mailed to each member.

To Issue Stock.

A special meeting of the shareholders of the Victoria & Sidney Railway Co. was held yesterday, with the president, Mr. C. T. Dupont, in the chair. The business of the day was authorizing the issue of $300,000 worth of stock.

Extension of Time.

The Nelson Electric Light Co., through Messrs. Bodwell & Irving, have given notice of their intention to apply for an amendment to their act during the present session of the Legislature, extending the time for the completion of their works.

Modern Improvements.

Messrs. B. H. Lee, J. McNaughton and H. W. Buck in the last issue of the Gazette announce their intention of applying for incorporation, as they intend constructing and operating a line of tramway and electric light and water works in the town of New Denver.

Funeral of Andrew Astrico.

The funeral of the late Andrew Astrico, a native Victorian, took place yesterday morning, Rev. Fathers Nicolaye and Van Nevel officiating, the pall-bearers being Messrs. T. S. Burnes, Thomas Geiger, T. Sehl, Frank Sehl, D. McBrady and W. H. Harris.

The Highland Dancer Returning.

John Davidson, the champion Highland dancer of B. C., returned last night on the City of Kingston, after giving his exhibition at the Tacoma theatre. He executed some very difficult steps and was applauded to the echo; he wears numerous medals, and is a first-class dancer.

Sentenced to Nine Months.

The young man Thompson, who, during a disturbance at the Queen's Music Hall, a short time ago, amused himself by breaking a window and was subsequently committed for trial, was up in the Supreme Court yesterday morning, for trial under the Speedy Trials Act. He was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment with hard labor.

Had a Good House.

There was a good attendance last evening at the Victoria Theatre, where Schillings' Minstrels, 38 strong, held the boards and put up a good show. The innovations in the shape of specialties, and the change from the usual "horse-shoe" arrangement in the first act was an appreciable variety, while the general work was above the average, especially in the way of songs and instrumental music.

A Great Array of Talent.

A splendid programme has been prepared for this evening's smoking concert at the Driard, for the benefit of the Victoria Lacrosse Club. Among the popular vocalists who will take part are Messrs. Kingham, Kent, Manning, Wollaston, Hood, Davies, Rhodes, Martin, Maurice, Scaife, Wolff, Philo, Perrin, Boyd, Allen, Tudhope, Brown, Richardson, Patterson and Keith-Middleton.

Reduction of Train Service.

A circular has been issued from the office of Mr. R. Marpole, superintendent of the Pacific division of the C.P.R., announcing that on and after Monday, January 30, and until further notice, the service on the Shuswap and Okanagan branch will be reduced to three trains per week, one each on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The present time table governing the arrival and departure of such trains remains in force subject to the alteration.

Touring Footballers.

The junior footballers have decided not to visit Somenos to-day on account of the cold, the match in which they were to engage being postponed for one week. Messrs. Foulkes, A. Crease, Maurice, Ward, Ackland, Haines, Jones, Fraser, Hibben, L. Crease, Langley, Scott, Sullivan, Drummond and Williams, will form the senior team playing Westminster this day week; they will this afternoon, if the weather moderates, meet a team picked by Mr. Pegram.

Again Successful.

A mandatory injunction was yesterday issued out of the Supreme Court to the Medical Council of the province, to compel the registration without examination or registration fee of Dr. Metherell, M.R.C.S. The original application for registration was made last summer, and while at that time His Lordship made no order he intimated that the applicant was entitled to registration. The Council refused to register except upon payment of a fee of $100, and the second application which resulted as above was made.

Growing in Strength and Importance.

The friends in British Columbia of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada will be pleased to hear of its continued success. The new business of 1892 in the life department reached the very handsome sum of $8,566,000—the largest business ever reported for a Canadian company. The Sun Life, as is well known, heretofore conducted with success an accident branch, a liberal amount of first-class business being attracted to it each year. Such however has been the growth of the regular life business, calling for undivided attention, that it has been thought best to dispense with the accident department. This was disposed of at the close of last year to the Canadian Accident Insurance Co. The move is generally regarded as a wise one, for it seems plain that a company whose new business has increased from $5,000,000 in 1891 to $8,566,000 in 1892, can best employ the ability and resources at its command in the building up of a strong distinctively life company. British Columbians consider the Sun as practically a British Columbia company, as it invested in the province last year upwards of $500,000 in mortgages alone, besides buying largely in debentures and other city securities.

For Points Only.

Jim Barrington and Tom Riley, formerly of the Warspite, meet in a six-round match for points at the Delmonico this evening.

No Water.

There was no water in the Provincial Jail yesterday, not that the pipes were frozen, but that there was no pressure of water. The prisoners were in consequence on short water allowance yesterday.

Meet on Monday.

The Albion football club will hold a general meeting in Prof. Foster's rooms at 112 Toronto street on Monday evening, when a full attendance is expected.

Starting in Business.

Mr. A. J. Thomas has started business for himself on Government street, in the plumbing and gas fitting business. He has as manager Mr. J. L. Stanford.

Stolen Goods.

At Police court Tom Brownhill and George Bowen were sentenced to two months imprisonment yesterday, for having stolen goods in their possession, knowing them to have been stolen.

Aldermanic Work.

There will be a special meeting of the City Council on Monday evening, and among the more particular topics to be discussed will probably be that of the appointment of a coroner's constable. Coroner Hasell's letter on the subject is now in the hands of the city clerk.

Sale of Work and Social.

The young ladies of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian church intend holding a sale of work and social in the school room of the church some time during the latter end of next month. In order to make the affair a success, no effort will be spared, preparations having already begun.

Pretty and Unique.

Messrs. Hoe & Co., of printing press fame, have issued one of the prettiest calendars which has yet appeared. It is on heavy cardboard, and pictures one of their latest improved perfecting presses, the roll of paper on the "intelligent machinery" containing the calendar for 1893 4. The idea is unique and well carried out.

An "At Home."

The residence of Mrs McMillan, Cormorant street, will be the scene of a pleasant social gathering on Tuesday evening, when an At Home will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Metropolitan Methodist church. The programme provided for the evening includes musical selections, etc., as well as plenty of refreshments.

Off to California.

Chas. St. Morris, manager of the Germania Life, leaves with his wife by the Umatilla for California this morning. Mrs. St. Morris will recuperate among the orange groves, while Mr. St. Morris looks after his company's interests in that region and Mexico. Mr. St. Morris has appointed Mr. Henry Gerald Green local agent for the Island, and will return here in a few weeks.

In Aid of St. Barnabas.

The young people of St. Saviour's church have provided an inviting programme for their entertainment to be given in the Victoria West hall on Monday evening, and have made arrangements with the Tramway Company to have cars ready when the audience is dismissed for their conveyance to the city. The proceeds of the evening will be devoted to the choir fund of the church.

Cutting Down Expenses.

The managers of St. Andrew's church having decided to cut down the salary of their minister, propose to reduce the salary of the janitor from $40 to $30 per month. This official has seven days work in the week and has been ten years in the service of the church. Rev. Mr. McLeod on Sunday morning is expected to announce the date at which he will call the congregation together as intimated during the week.

For Sunday Evening.

A mass meeting will be held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. immediately after the evening service in the Pandora Avenue Methodist church to-morrow, when Rev. J. H. Higgins will give an address. Mr. Higgins has recently arrived from the East, and during his stay in this city has, accompanied by Mrs. McMillan, the W. C. T. U. city missionary, been visiting a great many places, on which his address will be given.

A Military Display.

One of the most interesting exhibits in the government building at the world's fair will be a display of arms, uniforms, tents and flags in use in the United States army at various times since 1776. This display is being prepared in one of the Gray's Ferry arsenal buildings. A space of six thousand square feet has been set aside for this exhibit. The uniforms will be draped upon lay figures and arranged in realistic attitudes. The one particular group in which especial pride is taken is to consist of seven figures on horseback, representing a general of the present army and staff. The central figure will be as nearly as possible an exact likeness of Maj.-Gen. Schofield. All the articles were made entirely by Americans and of American materials. There is a collection of at least twenty-five flags, and these alone are valued at eight thousand dollars.

Katie Putnam, that tiny, graceful sprite, bubbling over with lafter and emotion, will appear in her new play, "An Unclaimed Express Package," at the Victoria Theatre on Tuesday, January 31; on Wednesday evening, "The Little Maverick."

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Miss Putnam will be supported by a competent company with special scenery, every bit of which is carried by the organization, is plentiful, striking, new and realistic. Victoria Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, January 31 and February 1st. Tuesday, "An Unclaimed Express Package," Wednesday, "The Little Maverick." *

THE CITY COUNCIL.

A Peddling License By-law Approved—The Injustice of the Quarantine Law.

Comprehensive Report On Health Matters—The Insurance License Tax to Remain.

The first business brought before the City Council at the special meeting held last evening was in the form of a resolution of thanks to the sewerage Commissioners, Hon. J. H. Turner, Mr. John Teague and Mr. Thomas Earle, for their able and careful administration of the affairs placed in their charge. This resolution was proposed by the Mayor, and unanimously adopted.

ALD. MUNN then asked permission to introduce a by-law to repeal the Sewerage Commissioners' by-law.—Granted.

ALD. MCKILLICAN'S by-law to regulate the numbering of hawkers and pedlars was read a second time, and the Council went into committee upon it.

On the discussion of clause 2,

ALD. BRAGG expressed the opinion that all street peddling should be done away with in order that the market might be built up.

ALD. MILLER thought six months' imprisonment was too heavy a penalty.

ALD. BELYEA pointed out that under the act the penalty could only be one month. He did not think the penalty clause was legal.

MAYOR BEAVEN—On what do you base your opinion?

ALD. BELYEA—"I am not going to discuss legal questions here." He contended that the magistrate was bound by the act in preference to the by-law.

After some discussion the penalty was fixed at $50 or one month, and the committee rose and reported the by-law complete with amendments.

A report from the City Assessor, showing that a majority of the residents on Esquimalt street had petitioned against the work proposed to be done under the Local Improvement by-law, was received and filed.

A communication was received from John J. McGee, clerk of the Privy Council of Canada, conveying the sense of a minute of the Executive in reply to a resolution of the City Council of Victoria. The minute stated that the Dominion Government could not see its way clear to bear any share of the expense incurred by reason of the recent smallpox outbreak.

MAYOR BEAVEN spoke at some length on the injustice of the Dominion quarantine laws which permitted Victoria to be made a dumping ground for all kinds of disease.

After a general discussion,

ALD. MUNN said that the whole question came right down to this, that neither the City nor the Province was satisfied with the Dominion Government regulations or the way they were carried out, and further it was time to tell the Dominion Government so in plain words.

ALD. MCKILLICAN moved that the Mayor and Ald. Belyea be a committee to draft a resolution to be laid before the Provincial Government to be forwarded to Ottawa.

ALD. BELYEA was opposed to further "resoluting." He thought more action and less talk would have better results.

MAYOR BEAVEN—What would you suggest?

ALD. BELYEA—Whenever a load of Chinese comes here, and the men are thought to be suspects, gobble them up and put them out at Ross Bay.

Ald. Henderson and Bragg opposed this suggestion, but would like to see something done.

ALD. MUNN did not like the idea of obstruction, which might have unexpected results. He thought the agitation should be kept up and finally something would come of it.

ALD. BAKER thought it would be a good scheme to lock up infected Chinese and "agitate" at the same time. Then the Government would see that there was no confidence felt in the regulations or the way they were carried out.

ALD. HENDERSON thought that the consent of the Provincial and City health officers would be necessary before suspects were discharged from the Dominion quarantine station.

Ald. Belyea declined to serve on the committee. Ald. Munn's name was substituted and the motion carried.

A comprehensive report was read from Dr. Geo. A. Duncan, city health officer, and referred to the Board of Health, Ald. Belyea remarking, "That's a pretty good report."

Dr. Duncan reported that immediately prior to his appointment, during the summer of '92, the city had a comparatively severe visitation of smallpox, but the death rate had been but little higher than the average. Chinatown had been repeatedly visited by him personally, and it was notorious that the conditions under which the Chinese exist are repulsive in the highest degree. He advised that the main sewer be extended to Chinatown as soon as possible, and that the sanitary law be rigidly enforced in this congested district. "Laundry work," adds the report, "is done by Chinamen in establishments in which air seldom enters, except when the door is opened for the ingress and egress of the washer men." Something more is needed in milk inspection, and the doctor advises "as early as possible that connections be made from all parts of the city with the main sewer, and that this comparatively expensive work be put without delay to the use for which it is designed." The doctor puts in a good word for the city market, and suggests that butchers, fishmongers, etc., should be obliged to patronize the building. In cases of infectious diseases, medical men should be obliged to report, so as to prevent the spread of contagion. Dr. Duncan strongly advocates the establishment of an infectious diseases hospital, and the necessity of providing disinfectants and an apartment in which they can be applied.

The necessary resolution was passed to enable certain small changes to be made in the location of electric lights, the $35 voted being required for the removal of the Spring Ridge mast.

Secretary Elliott addressed the Council on behalf of the Board of Fire Underwriters, asking for the abolition of the insurance license tax, and promising, in the event of the request being granted, to establish and maintain a salvage corps in this city.

ALD. MCKILLICAN thought it would be well not to interfere with this; the insurance companies took money enough out of the city and could well afford to pay their small contribution, which the city needed. He moved that the proposition be declined with thanks.

ALD. MUNN inquired if the Council could regulate this tax—must it necessarily be $300 or nothing?

THE MAYOR—The amount is fixed by statute.

The resolution carried.

City Engineer E. A. Wilmot reported that the construction of the eight-inch main necessary to drain South Pandora and Rudlin streets to Johnston street would involve an expenditure of $3,600. The pipe would require to be 900 feet long, and would pass through considerable rock.

A motion having been made to receive and file the report;

ALD. BRAGG expressed the hope that something would be done to abate the nuisance complained of, and which was a serious one for the residents in the quarter under water. If it was too expensive to carry out the work on the lines proposed, devise some other scheme.

ALD. BELYEA had been informed that the standing water was the result of the construction of a practically watertight wall or dam by Mr. De Cosmos himself. If this was so, that Mr. De Cosmos had interfered with the natural flow of the water, the City Engineer should look into the matter. If the case was as it had been presented to him, the trouble could be rectified by compelling Mr. De Cosmos to remove his dam.

ALD. MCKILLICAN explained that the dam was on private property, and the owner could only be forced to remove it by process of law. Certainly it blocked the natural watercourse and was responsible for the nuisance, and Mr. De Cosmos could be compelled to remove it.

ALD. BELYEA—Is the water lying on Mr. De Cosmos' property or on some one else's?

Chorus of aldermanic voices—Somebody else's.

ALD. BELYEA—In that event I wish I was that somebody else.

The report from Mr. Wilmot was received and filed.

The appended letter, laid on the table at a previous meeting, was next presented for consideration:

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 20, 1893.

His Worship the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Victoria:

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to call your attention to a fact, the importance of which induces me to request that the matter will not only be taken into your serious consideration, but also that action will be had thereon.

From the diary of the late Mr. Roderick Finlayson it is found that the building of the fort was first commenced on the first day of June, A.D. 1843 and it occurs to me that as this will be the jubilee year such an historical event should not be allowed to pass unnoticed, and that your honorable body is the proper party to provide some substantial celebration befitting the occasion.

I have the honor to be, etc.,
Your obedient servant,
(Sd.) H. DALLAS HELMCKEN.

ALD. BELYEA moved that a committee, consisting of Aldermen McTavish, Munn and McKillican, be appointed to report upon the best means of celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of fair Victoria.

The resolution met with general favor and was adopted.

Mr. J. P. McLeod wrote to complain of a defect in the sidewalk on the Esquimalt road, which had done him grievous bodily harm while he was on his way to "a great political meeting at the Victoria theatre." He enclosed a letter from Dr. Fraser, testifying to the nature of his injuries, and a bill for damages of $250.

ALD. BELYEA—If the accident occurred as reported perhaps it would be well for the Council to arrange a settlement with Mr. McLeod at once, without involving needless legal expenses. These little things teach us to look after our sidewalks. Of course, if the case is as it is described; that will have to be inquired into.

On motion of Ald. Baker and McKillican, the communication was referred to the City Engineer and Street committee, for a report upon the condition of the walk in question.

The Fire Wardens in a report advised that tenders be invited for the supply of feed supplies, all bids to be in by February 1; that Mr. G. Lunn be appointed third engineer to fill a vacancy; and that a quantity of additional hose be purchased at an early date.

The latter clause was discussed and rediscussed and made the subject of motions, amendments and amendments to amendments. The report was finally adopted, the appointment recommended being subsequently confirmed by resolution.

Tenders for supplying necessaries to the Old Folks' Home were referred to the committee having charge of that institution, power being conferred upon them to award contracts to the lowest responsible tenderers.

Another tabled letter, that from the Deputy Attorney-General in regard to Dr. Watt's claim, was referred to the Board of Health, and the remainder of the evening was taken up in discussing a communication from the Victoria City Band, requesting the Council to name a committee to act as custodians of a uniform fund, and later on of the uniforms of the band, such uniforms to be purchased by private subscription and become the property of the city. The Council could not see their way to legally grant the request, and the city clerk will so advise the petitioners, informing them that the Aldermen in their private capacity will do all in their power to further the project.

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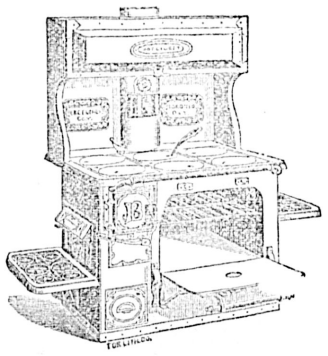

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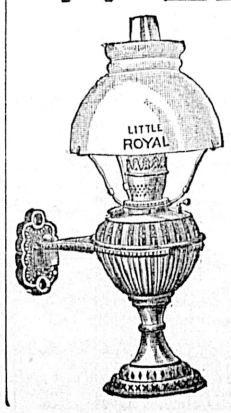

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BLAINE DEAD.

The Great American Statesman Breathes His Last—Succumbs to Heart Disease.

His Last Hours—President Harrison's Official Announcement of the Fact.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 27.—James G. Blaine died this morning at 11 o'clock, aged 63. His death, although it has removed from the world a character who was prominent in everything he undertook, caused little surprise. It was a foregone conclusion that his late battle with death would be the final defeat of his life. Though the facts as to his illness have from the first been studiously concealed through official channels of communication, he was a sick man when he returned to Washington to settle down for the winter. His mind has been a blank for weeks, and the lucid moments have been few, but his physical frame withstood the ravages of the wasting disease until now.

Mr. Blaine's 63 years have been active ones. All the trials and tribulations that fall to the lot of public men have been his. It was only his family and those very closely associated with him that have been permitted to see him or even hear from him during the last days of his life. Trained journalists have resorted to every possible scheme within the lines of legitimate journalism to obtain news of his condition, but all have been baffled. There has been a disposition both on the part of the family and the attendant physicians to conceal the real condition existing in the Blaine mansion, but information as to the patient's condition has been obtained and reported. Few, if any, journalistic experiences furnish a more thorough example of watching and waiting than the case of Blaine.

Dr. Johnson was summoned to the bedside of Blaine early this morning, but his presence there was not known to those outside until about 11.10, when, in company with Dr. Hyatt, he left the house. At 11.20 President Harrison, accompanied by Private Secretary Halford and Lieut. Parker, walked over to the Blaine mansion. The President showed marked signs of grief. Postmaster-General Wanamake followed the President. Both physicians were unusually pale, and when accosted by a reporter for the latest news, a significant look was in their faces as they answered the question. "He is dead," said Dr. Johnson, "and he passed away peacefully." The doctors did not give the exact time of death, but about 11:15 the windows in the room of the sick chamber were slightly raised.

News of Blaine's death spread like wildfire. Crowds gathered on the corners and visitors flocked to the house. Dr. Hamilton, who was passing the house when the announcement was made, at once entered and remained with the family some time. Word was sent to the President immediately after death. Mr. Blaine passed a restless night and this morning was languid and weak, but nothing serious was noted until shortly before 5 o'clock, when a change for the worse occurred. Both physicians were summoned and remained at the bedside until death. Blaine was conscious until a few moments before death and the end was so peaceful that only the experienced eye of the physicians could perceive that the great statesman had departed to eternity.

Dr. Hyatt said Blaine's death was due to sheer exhaustion. All the immediate members of the family and Miss Dodge were at the bedside wh[illegible] end came. Dr. Johnston [illegible] said: "I was called this morning [illegible] to the residence about 9:30, and [illegible] found Mr. Blaine in a very exhausted condition. He had grown weaker during the early morning hours, and about 8:30 the nurse observed that his breathing was more difficult and his pulse more feeble than it had been. Dr. Hyatt, also sent for, arrived there about 10. After my arrival Mr. Blaine continued to grow weaker very rapidly, his pulse becoming more feeble. He died at 11 o'clock. He was conscious up to within a few moments of his death, and recognized all those around him. He died without suffering."

The doctors authorize the preliminary announcement of the cause of death, as follows: "Chronic intestinal nephritis," (a form of chronic Bright's disease) due to, and associated with a general change in the arteries of the body and with the dilatation of the heart. The condition was complicated with disease of the lungs of a tubercular nature. The immediate cause of death was connected with the heart.

The Legislature, after appropriate resolutions, adjourned out of respect to the memory of Blaine.

The President received warning of Blaine's approaching end through a press bulletin, which informed him that Blaine could not live through the day. He immediately had a substance dispatch telegraphed over the department wires to the various cabinet officers. It was a few minutes later only that Montgomery, the operator at the White House, received another message addressed to the President. "Blaine is d——" is all he waited to hear and started on a run for the room of Private Secretary Halford. The final word "dead" stopped him as he was in the hallway separating the telegraph room from Halford's office. The cabinet was immediately notified and came to cabinet meeting at the usual hour fully prepared.

The President has issued the following proclamation:

"WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 27, 1893.

"It is my painful duty to announce to the people of the United States the death of James Gillespie Blaine, which occurred in this city to-day at 11 o'clock. For a full generation this eminent citizen has occupied a conspicuous and influential position in the nation. His first public service was in the legislature of his State, afterward for 14 years he was a member of the National House of Representatives, and was three times chosen its speaker. In 1876 he was elected to the Senate. He resigned his seat in that body in 1881 to accept the position of Secretary of State in the cabinet of President Garfield. After the tragic death of his chief, he resigned from the cabinet, and devoting himself to literary work, gave to the public in his "Twenty Years in Congress," a most valuable and enduring contribution to our political literature. In March, 1889, he again became Secretary of State, and exercised this office until June, 1892. His devotion to public interests, his great ability and his excellent patriotism have won for him the gratitude and affection of his countrymen, and the admiration of the world. In the various pursuits of legislation, diplomacy, literature, his genius added new lustre to American citizenship. As an expression of the national appreciation of his great public service the Department of State will be decorated in mourning. (Signed)

"PRESIDENT BENJ. HARRISON."

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HARRISON NONPLUSSED.

The Removal of the Canadian Canal Tolls Renders it Hard for Him to Act.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—President Harrison and Secretary of State Foster are in a quandary with regard to the reported determination of the Canadian Government to remove the discriminating tolls against United States vessels in Canadian canals. There is a misunderstanding over this diplomatic question which causes much perplexity to the United States Government. President Harrison has nearly completed his reply to the resolution of the Congress of last session, asking for information on the general subject of Canadian transportation in America; but hesitates to submit the document in view of the uncertainty with regard to the action of Canada on the canal question.

On Jan. 16 it was announced in dispatches from Ottawa that the Canadian Government had issued an Order-in-Council providing that the schedule of canal tolls for the season of 1893 has been so arranged as to remove all discrimination against United States vessels. On January 17 the Secretary of State said that while he had not been officially notified of the reported action he had no doubt that it had been taken, as he had been unofficially informed that this would be the result of the diplomatic negotiations that have been going on between the American and Canadian Governments for some time.

The Secretary followed up this statement by giving out for publication the correspondence between himself and Sir Julian Pauncefote, the last note of the American Secretary having been forwarded on December 21, in expectation of the order removing the discriminating tolls. On the same afternoon Sir Julian Pauncefote called upon Secretary Foster and it was supposed that he left the official notification of Canada's action. It is learned to-day, however, that he did not do so, and, so far as this Government is informed, no action with regard to the removal of unfair tolls has been taken.

At a meeting of the National Board of Trade a few days ago, the Washington attorney of the Canadian Pacific Railway announced that the published report as to the issuance of the order-in-council was correct. He did not give the authority for his statement, however, and it cannot be substantiated in any reliable way. President Harrison and Secretary of State Foster are much embarrassed by this state of affairs, especially in view of the fact that the tone and scope of the President's forthcoming communication to Congress on the general Canadian subject depend very largely upon whether the report as to the removal of the discriminating canal tolls is true or false.

TORONTO, Jan. 27.—(Special.)—The Globe's Washington correspondent telegraphs that President Harrison's approaching message to Congress on the consular sealing question will simply call attention to the alleged injustice, and that the President does not now contemplate taking active steps against the Canadian railroads.

ANNEXATION AND THE BEHRING SEA QUESTION.

(New York Sun.)

The arbitrators for the settlement of the fur seal question will meet shortly in Paris. It is no secret that the Sun expects a decision adverse to the claims of the United States on the points to be submitted to the tribunal. Our claims will be clearly stated and ably argued. Great care has been taken in the preparation of the American case, but it rests on a defective foundation, or at least [illegible] on one of novel construction, not hitherto recognized in international law. Hence it is likely to fail.

It will be remembered that the Hon. E. J. Phelps advised our government in a very able article published in Harper's Magazine, to protect the fur seals from poachers, not only on the islands clearly under our jurisdiction but also in the open sea, and to deal with the consequences afterwards. This was manly and courageous, and would have brought the question at once to a head; and although it might have resulted in war with England, the ultimate decision could hardly have been doubtful. But our government concluded to pursue a less vigorous and aggressive course, though even that, as is now known, came dangerously near to ending in a collision between the naval forces of the two nations.

In view of the fact that Great Britain had no direct interest in this question, but was acting solely under the instigation and in behalf of the Dominion of Canada and its citizens engaged in the wanton destruction of seal life in the water adjacent to our possessions, it is evident that no case could have arisen had Canada been previously annexed to the United States. It is also evident that annexation, whenever it occurs, will bring all Canadian fur sealers and fishermen, whether on the Pacific or Atlantic, under our maritime laws, and thus put it clearly within the right of our Government to suppress and punish all their violations of those laws.

Should the arbitrators decide against us we shall probably have to pay a heavy bill of damages, and then perhaps the Canadian poachers will again resume operations and the fur seals will be speedily exterminated. Of course the Tories of Canada will exult over us, and other exasperating questions will arise to plague us in turn, till they are all ended forever, as they must ultimately be, by annexation. There seems to be no other solution large enough to cover all the difficulties. Why should we not apply it as soon as possible, especially as many of our Canadian neighbors regard it as the only panacea for other ills exclusively their own?

The case is so clear, and the cure so obvious, that only those who will not consider it can hesitate. By all honorable ways let us then favor continental union as the best possible means of settling this as well as all other continental questions.

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Water Works Amendment Act, 1875	40,181 45	
Water Works Loan By-Law, 1877	9,550 65	
Corporation By-Law, 1878	12,159 00	
Public Light " 1885	4,597 00	
Drainage " 1885	1,410 00	
Water Works " 1886	10,218 70	
Streets & Bridge " 1886	2,901 00	
Johnson st Sewer " 1888	1 678 75	
Water Works " 1888	1,122 00	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By-Law, 1889	2,862 45	
Water Works $70,000 By-Law, 1889	4,415 60	
Water Works $60,000 By-Law, 1889	3,813 65	
Pleasure Grounds By-Law, 1889	1,587 75	
Fire Department By-Law, 1889	930 25	
Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889	764 06	
City Hall Addition By-Law, 1890	2,288 85	
Cemetery By-Law, 1890	816 35	
Sewerage " 1890	5,428 65	
Public Market Site By-Law, 1890	814 55	
Public Market Buildings By-Law, 1890	995 00	
Crematory By Law, 1890	429 00	
Agricultural Association By-Law, 1891	687 30	
Loan City of Victoria Act, 1892	2,312 30	
		$ 167,670 00
Municipal Taxes outstanding—		
Land and Improvement Tax	$ 29,588 90	
Trades Licenses	1,177 50	
Fire Insurance Tax	1,550 00	
Water Rents	9,920 00	
Market Rents	125 75	
		42,362 15
B.C. Land & Investment Agency—		
Loan City Victoria Act, 1892	$ 353 27	
Broad St. Improvement	1,445 10	
Home for Aged	40 76	
		1,839 13
B.C. Corporation, Limited, Crematory Loan		10,410 40
J. Gosnell, Weighing Machine Fees		59 98
A. McBean, for Pipes		1,477 95
Bank B. N. America—		
General Account	$ 1,375 35	
City Victoria Act, 1892	3,014 43	
Sewerage Loan 1890 $ 35 90		
Sewerage Deposit Account 18,768 56	18,804 46	
Street Loan By-Law, 1892	12,222 77	
Contract Deposit Acc	4,401 10	
		39,818 11
Cash on hand		63 35
Corporation of the City of Victoria, being excess of Liabilities over Assets		1,185,592 48
		$1,449,293 55

LIABILITIES.

LOANS.

Water Works Loan, 1873	$ 92,500 00	
" " 1875	50,000 00	
" " 1877	20,000 00	
Corporation " 1878	20,000 00	
Public Lighting " 1885	16,000 00	
Drainage " 1885	5,000 00	
Water Works " 1886	75,000 00	
Streets & Bridge " 1886	50,000 00	
Johnson st sewer " 1888	30,000 00	
Water Works " 1888	20,000 00	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery Loan, 1889	45,000 00	
Water Works Loan, 1889	60,000 00	
" " 1889	70,000 00	
Pleasure Grounds Loan, 1889	25,000 00	
Fire Department Loan, 1889	15,000 00	
Flour Mills Bonus Loan, 1889	10,000 00	
City Hall Addition Loan, 1890	35,000 00	
Cemetery Loan, 1890	12,500 00	
Sewerage Loan, 1890	300,000 00	
Public Market Site Loan, 1890	45,000 00	
Public Market Building Loan, 1890	55,000 00	
Crematory Loan, 1890	10 000 00	
Agricultural Association Loan, 1891	25,000 00	
City Victoria Act Loan, 1892	182,000 00	
Street Loan By-Law, 1892	25,000 00	
		$1,293 000 00
Water Works Current Account		150,190 16
Deposits for use of Streets		330 00
Home for Aged and Infirm, Permanent Building Fund		40 76
Contract Deposit Account		4,376 00
Unclaimed Wages		54 34
Tax Sale Redemption Account		37 87
Outstanding Accounts		1,264 42
		$1,449,293 55

(E. O. E.)
January 6, 1893.
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JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor. CHARLES KENT, Treasurer.

Receipts and Expenditure—1892.

RECEIPTS.

From 1st January to 31st December.

Land and Improvement Tax	$219,672 73
Water Rents and Rates	51,840 66
Trades Licenses	22,301 50
Liquor Licenses	15,980 00
Revenue Tax	11,151 00
Revenue tax from Provincial Government	5,937 00
Gravel Pits Sale By-law	9 756 01
Fire Insurance Tax	9,100 00
Police Court Fines and Fees	6,683 95
Road Tax	3 493 00
Cemetery Fees	2,730 30
Refund from Provincial Government under Sec 109 Municipal Act, 1892	1,67[illegible] 42
Dog Tax	508 70
Pound Fees	641 25
Provincial Government in aid of Fire Department	1,000 00
Market Fees and Rents	1,625 06
Miscellaneous	5,223 97
Interest on Investment of Sinking Funds	5,576 36
Total	$377,903 91

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EXPENDITURE.

Summary of Expenditure from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. City Debt	$83,207 75
II. Civic Salaries	73,418 03
III. City Institutions	129,459 71
IV. Education	23,733 58
V. Municipal Council	3,800 00
VI. Buildings and Surveys	3,286 38
VII. Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks	30,800 53
VIII. Miscellaneous Expenditure	28,926 01
	$376,662 02

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DETAILED EXPENDITURE.

Statement Showing the Expenditure for 1892, as brought to Account in the Treasury of the City of Victoria, from 1st January to 31st December, 1892.

I. CITY DEBT—		
Interest on Debentures	$51,507 90	
Interest under Annual Loan By-law, 1892	2,448 62	
		$53,956 52
Brokerage and Exchange		$ 149 39
Payments to Sinking Funds	23,525 48	
Interest Accrued from the Investment of Sinking Funds	5,576 36	
		29,101 84
		$83,207 75
II. CIVIC SALARIES—		
Treasurer's Office	5,155 01	
City Clerk's Office	2,671 67	
Assessor's Office	2,760 00	
Janitor	770 00	
Temporary Assistance, all Departments	319 00	
		11,675 71
Water Works		4,910 00
Public Works		8,169 01
Board of Health		1,800 00
Police		23,467 43
Fire Department		12,602 05
Library		1,115 00
Pound		928 83
Home for Aged and Infirm		600 00
Market		960 00
Street Lighting		4,537 35
Cemetery		1,241 00
Park		1,438 65
		$73,448 03
III. CITY INSTITUTIONS—		
Water Works		45,743 08
Cemetery		216 81
Board of Health, lepers	994 10	
Board of Health, general	59,102,01	
		60,096 11
Park		565 48
Police—		
Clothing	1,893 50	
Keep of Prisoners	3,011 15	
Inquests, Lunatics, etc	545 50	
Hacks and Express	122 25	
Interpreter	64 50	
Washing	17 00	
Sundries	118 10	
		5,742 00
Library		65 00
Fire Department—		
Feed for Horses	1,353 38	
Shoeing and Blacksmith	252 87	
Repairs	474 60	
Hardware, Oil, etc	473 79	
Medical Service, horses	65 85	
Insulated Wire	134 00	
Hydrants	600 00	
Chemical Engine	2,710 00	
Harness and Clothing	371 86	
Fire Alarm Service	474 60	
Furniture and Bedding	139 65	
Scavenger	29 50	
Couplings, Nozzles, etc	196 28	

Expenditure continued.

Freight	53 30	
Express Hire	6 75	
One Horse	300 00	
Fuel	158 00	
		8,124 43
Pound		147 72
Street Lighting		4,490 66
Home for Aged and Infirm		3,247 88
Market		1,020 57
		$129,459 71
IV. EDUCATION—		
Provincial Government		14,130 00
Board of School Trustees		9 603 58
		$23,733 58
V. MUNICIPAL COUNCIL—		
Mayor and Aldermen		3,800 00
VI. BUILDINGS AND SURVEYS—		
City Hall Repairs		359 85
Market Property		1,223 05
Fire Halls		610 94
Furniture		306 67
Defining Streets and City Boundaries		695 87
		$3,286 39
VII. STREETS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS—		
For all Purposes		30,800 53
VIII. MISCELLANEOUS—		
Advertising and Printing		5,153 18
Stationery		905 61
Postage		413 10
Telegrams		75 65
Telephone Service		1,500 15
Fuel and Light		2,200 00
Hacks and Express		291 75
Fire Insurance		241 50
Commission on Collections		158 10
Legal Expenses		2,179 15
Refunds		393 61
Charitable Aid Fund		511 52
Grant to Jubilee Hospital		2,000 00
Registrar General, re Asses't Roll		382 00
Queen's Birthday Celebration		1,000 00
Election Petition, C. Williams		250 00
Expenses Local Improvement By-Law		332 25
Sec, 80 B, Fairfield		9,303 47
Miscellaneous not detailed		1,925 14
		$28,926 01

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, application will be made for an act to revise, consolidate and amend the City of Victoria Official Map Act, 1880, the City of Victoria Official Map Amendment Act, 1881, the City of Victoria Official Map Act, 1883, the City of Victoria Official Map Act Amendment Act, 1888, and the City of Victoria Official Map Amendment Act, 1889, and to extend the provisions of the Act so dealt with to the limits of the city as they now exist, conferring upon the city engineer the power to define and settle street, block and lot lines and boundaries in that portion of section 31, Esquimalt District, known as Victoria West, and making it compulsory that all plans and subdivisions of land within the city limits be approved by the city council prior to their acceptance and registration by the Registrar-General of titles, and a copy of each plan so submitted for approval be filed with the city surveyor of Victoria.

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JAMES REID.
W. A. JOHNSTON.

Witness, GEO. B. CLARKE. ja20-1m-d&w

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for the passage of an Act incorporating a Company to construct, maintain and operate a motor line of railway from the City of Victoria in a northerly direction through Mount Tolmie Park to Cordova Bay, and to confer upon such Company all powers, rights and privileges usual and necessary for such purposes.

Dated January 3rd, A. D., 1893.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892.

1892. Amount of bonds sold	$ 182,000 00		Payments made under authority of sub-sec. A, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	$154,141 41
Premium on above bonds having realized 104 net	7,280 00		Payments made under authority of sub-sec. B, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	6,682 04
		189,280 00	Payments made under authority of sub-sec. C, sec 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	27,001 90
Accrued interest at 5% on above		196 21	Payments made under authority of sub-sec. D, sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	2,509 20
Difference between sales of substituted 50 year 4½% bonds of 1892, at 98¼ net, and advance of $85,000 on security of Market site and Market building 50 year 4% bonds of 1890		7,240 26	Interest on advances made before bonds were floated, sub-sec. E, sec. 2	3,014 25
			Balance on hand	3,367 70
		$196,716 50		$196,716 50

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Street Loan By-Law, 1892.

Amount of Bonds sold	$25,000 00	Discount on Bonds	$ 500 00
Accrued Interest	179 58	Expenditure on streets, bridges, sidewalks, to Dec. 31, 1892	12,456 81
		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	12,222 77
	$25,179 58		$ 25,179 58

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890.

Jan. 1, 1892— Balance on hand	$114,793 04	Expenditure on sewerage works from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1892	$ 96,595 83
Accrued interest on above	1,949 40	do. do. do. charged to Alex. McBean	1,477 95
Pipe sold	135 85	Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1892	18,804 46
	$116,878 29		$116,878 29

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Crematory By-Law, 1890.

January 1, Balance this date	$ 9,800 00	Dec. 31, 1892. Balance on hand this date	$ 10,410 40
Accrued Interest	610 40		
	$ 10,410 40		$ 10,410 40

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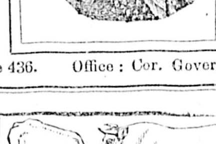

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" 12.20	" 5.54	77	RUSSELL'S	1	" 8.04	" 2.34
" 12.10 P.M	" 5.41	74	ESQUIMALT	4	" 8.14	" 2.44
" 11.45 A.M	" 5.19	67	GOLDSTREAM	11	" 8.39	" 3.19
" 11.10	" 4.50	58	SUMMIT SIDING	20	" 9.14	" 3.38
" 10.50	" 4.24	50	SHAWNIGAN L'E	23	" 9.34	" 4.01
" 10.40	" 4.14	47	COBBLE HILL	31	" 9.44	" 4.11
" 10.27	" 3.59	43	McPHERSON'S	35	" 9.57	" 4.29
" 10.17	" 3.49	40	KOKSILAH	38	" 10.07	" 4.39
" 10.12	" 3.44	38	DUNCAN'S	40	" 10.12	" 4.44
" 10.02	" 3.34	35	SOMENOS	43	" 10.22	" 4.54
" 9.38	" 3.12	26	CHEMAINUS	52	" 10.48	" 5.16
" 9.15	" 2.55	19	OYSTER BAY S'G	59	" 11.09	" 5.33
De 3.34 / Ar 8.2[illegible]	" 2.14	5	NANAIMO	73	Ar 11.50 / De 11.5[illegible]	" 6.14
De 8.10 A.M	De 1.59 P.M		WELLINGTON	78	Ar 12.1[illegible] P.M	Ar 6.29

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STRANGE COMPANIONSHIP.

A Cow, a Horse and a Pig Form a Close Copartnership.

A notable instance of this oddity came under the writer's notice once upon a time on a ranch that was largely devoted to stock-raising, says the San Francisco Chronicle. Cattle, horses and hogs were kept in large numbers and allowed to run at will upon the range. One day in riding over the mesa an oddly assorted trio was found in a locality at a considerable distance from any other animals. The trio was made up of a cow, a horse and a pig and all three were feeding side by side in the most amicable manner. At first it was thought to be nothing more than a coincidence that the three members of different families should happen to be together, but subsequently it turned out that this trio had evidently set up an alliance offensive and defensive against all the other animals on the range. They were always together. It was a comical sight to see the oddly assorted trio traveling over the range. The horse usually took the lead, with the cow next, and the pig last of all. Occasionally the horse looked around to see if his porkship was keeping up, and if he fell behind a halt would be made to allow him to come closer. When feeding the pig was just as apt to put his snout down by the horse's or cow's mouth and endeavor to snatch the grass from between their teeth as to graze on his own hook. One could almost see in the countenances of the larger animals a half-humorous, patronizing air as they regarded their diminutive companion, while the pig, on the other hand, walked with a bullying swagger and a self-confident air, for all the world like a youngster who trots along by the side of his "big brother," in the full assurance that all his battles will be fought for him.

A STOLEN KISS.

It Was Thankfully Received and Promptly Receipted For.

I was never kissed by a woman but once in my life—by which I mean that that kiss made me forget all others, says a correspondent in the Philadelphia Inquirer. Describe it? Impossible. It was at Richfield Springs. I was a handsome fellow in those days, and had had several desperate flirtations with young girls. So I didn't think anything of it one evening while sitting on the veranda in rather a dark corner to feel a pair of soft arms suddenly clasped around my neck and a mouth of thrilling fragrance and wonderful aptitude in kissing set upon my lips. When I came to my senses I threw my arms around the beautiful unknown, but a low voice whispered: "Be generous and let me go!" I obliged.

"A month or more afterward, when I had returned to town, I received a dainty little anonymous note, telling me that that kiss had been the result of a lark of several young married women, who held an indignation meeting and protested against the conduct of the young girls who had set a cordon about me and claimed me as their special property. So it was resolved that one of the indignant band should be chosen by lot to carry a kiss to me, and I was now requested to receipt for it. The receipt was inclosed and read as follows: 'Received on the hotel veranda at Richfield Springs at 9:30 in the evening of July 17, 188—, one kiss in good condition, from unknown lips.'"

DON'T SMILE AT THE PREACHER.

A Scottish Divine Says He Would Rather Have a Book Thrown at Him.

Rev. John McNeill, who is a well-known Presbyterian clergyman, informed his congregation at Dundee, Scotland, the other day that he would rather have a man walk out of the church declaring that "McNeill has insulted me," than sit smiling in his seat. "Don't smile," he said, "for that knocks the heart out of a preacher. Whatever way he looks he cannot get even crossed. Don't pretend to like the preaching if you don't. Don't get up a sickly smile over your face and try to smile as if you were just mad. Let the madness out, and, if you like, throw a hymn book at my head." London Truth says this is almost as curious a "pulpit utterance" as the outburst of a distinguished divine who was preaching on a wintry Sunday in a famous church to a congregation of strangers. There was a great deal of coughing, and as the sermon went on the volleys increased. The worthy minister finally became so exasperated that he stopped the discourse and shouted out: "Either this is the most diseased or the most impertinent congregation that I ever preached to."

The Human Ear.

Few people realize what a wonderfully delicate piece of mechanism the human ear really is. That which we ordinarily designate as the "ear," is, after all, only the mere outer porch of a series of winding passages which lead from the world without to the world within. Certain of these passages are filled with liquid, besides having membranes stretched like parchment curtains across the corridor at different points. When a sound wave strikes these they are thrown into vibrations and made to tremble like the head of a drum does when struck with a stick or with the fingers. Between two of these parchment-like curtains a chain of minute bones extend, which serve to tighten or relax the membranes and to communicate vibrations to them. In the innermost place of all a row of white threads, called nerves, stretch like the strings of a piano from the last point from which the tremblings reach, passing thence inward to the brain. Truly, this is a wonderful piece of mechanism.

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MACMASTER & McGIBBON, Montreal.

The Directors, who are now the owners of the entire Capital stock, have decided, at the request of numerous friends of the Company throughout Canada, to enlarge the proprietorship of its stock, and to offer for sale, at par, ten thousand shares, of one hundred dollars each, fully paid and non-assessable.

Payments are to be made as follows:—Five per cent. on application; fifteen per cent. on allotment; twenty per cent. each in one, two, three and four months from the date of allotment. Applicants have the right to pay in full on allotment.

Applications for shares will be received until February 15th, 1893, at any of the offices of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at the offices of the Union Bank of Halifax, and at the head office of the company, N. Y. Life Building, Montreal.

Forms of application for shares may be obtained at any of the above places, or they will be sent by mail on request.

Should no allotment of stock be made to any applicant for shares, the amount paid will be returned in full, and in the event of the Directors finding it impossible to allot the full number of shares applied for, the surplus of the deposit will be credited toward the amount payable on allotment.

The right is reserved of withdrawing the offer in whole or part at any time before allotment, and of allotting to any applicant any less number of shares than the number applied for.

As the dividends of the Company are payable quarterly, beginning with the first day of March next, allottees of stock will be entitled to receive a proportion of the quarterly dividend as declared, corresponding to the amount paid upon their subscription.

It is proposed to apply to the Stock Exchanges of Montreal and Toronto for official quotations of the shares of the Company.

The Consumers Cordage Company was organized in June, 1890, with a Capital of one million dollars, to operate several of the largest Cordage and Binder Twine Factories in Canada. It, at first, operated these under leases, but its operations having been successful, the Capital Stock was subsequently increased to Three Million Dollars, and the leased properties were purchased.

The Company has no mortgage indebtedness; and, according to the law under which it was incorporated, none can be created without the consent of two-thirds of the shares holders, represented at a meeting called for the purpose.

The Company has placed in the hands of its Bankers:—

(a) Full statements of its affairs, certified to by Messrs. Caldwell, Tait & Wilks, Chartered Accountants.

(b) The following letter from Messrs. Abbotts, Campbell & Meredith, advocates, Montreal, upon the legality of its incorporation, and the issue of its stock:—

MONTREAL, January 5, 1893.

Consumers Cordage Co., Ltd., Montreal:—

GENTLEMEN,—We have examined the books and documents connected with the organization of the Consumers Cordage Company, Limited, and are of opinion that it has been properly incorporated, and that its capital stock of $3,000,000, as issued, is fully paid up and non-assessable, according to the provisions of the "Companies Act."

We are, yours truly,
(Signed), ABBOTTS, CAMPBELL & MEREDITH.

(c). A report from Messrs. Macmaster and McGibbon, Solicitors of the Company, that the titles to its Mills have been duly examined, and that no encumbrances exist.

Applicants for shares may examine these documents, copies of which may be seen at the Company's offices, and at the various offices of the Banks mentioned above.

The Consumers Cordage Company is probably the second largest Manufacturer of Cordage and Binder Twine in the world, and claims the following very material advantages over its competitors:—

1st. Ample capital to conduct its business which enables it:—

(a) To buy its raw material in larger quantities, and at lower prices.

(b) To use only the latest and most improved machinery, thus keeping its mills in the highest state of efficiency.

2nd. Economy in selling and distributing its manufactured product.

3rd. The business covers so wide a territory (its manufactured goods go to almost every civilized country in the world) that it cannot be seriously injured by local troubles; and its Manufacturing establishments are so scattered that the danger of severe loss by fire is very slight.

4th. Lower cost of production.

(a). By maintaining the sharpest competition between its several mills, it is enabled to introduce in all the best methods found in each.

(b). By spreading its commercial expenses over a larger output.

(c) By placing in one hand the purchasing of the Raw Materials and Manufacturing supplies for the several Mills, thus securing lowest prices.

(d). By manufacturing for themselves many of their supplies.

The Company has always found it in its interest to divide the economies effected in production and distribution with the Consumer, and since its existence the Consumer has, upon the average, had a better article at a lower price than previously.

The Company does not claim to have any monopoly, or to earn monopoly profits; in fact, it has not done so. Since its organization it has been able, owing to the advantages above referred to, to earn a net return on its present capital of not less than 10 per cent. per annum (as statements in their Bankers' hands will show), and the Directors believe that these profits will be maintained in the future, as the cost of production and distribution shows each year a marked decrease.

The Dividend for the year ending 31st October, 1892, was at the rate of 8½ per cent. per annum. The past record of the Company and its present position justify the Directors in believing that quarterly dividends of one and three-quarters per cent. can be paid and should the profits for the present year be as large as the outlook promises, the final quarter's dividend might be increased.

Any further information may be had at the head office of the Company at Montreal.

GENTLEMEN,—Guaranteed Sheffield razors and shaving materials at Fox's, 78 Government street.

NOTICES.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

The undersigned will be obliged if the holder of Land and Improvements Tax Receipt No 8819 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, issued in the name of Mrs. Truran, will bring the same to his office.

CHARLES KENT,
Collector.
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 11, 1893. ja12-1mo

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on and after Thursday next, the 24th inst., the scow for the removal of city garbage, and night soil will be at the wharf at the foot of Telegraph street (connecting with Store street between Fisguard and Herald streets), between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., for the reception of garbage, refuse, and rubbish; between the hours of 12 midnight and 4 a. m., for the reception of filth, night soil, etc. By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, November 22, 1892. no23

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a company for the purpose of erecting and operating at some convenient point within the Province the necessary blast furnaces, steel works, rolling mills, plant and machinery for extracting iron from the ores thereof, and for manufacturing the same into steel and iron of all descriptions and for utilizing the product of said works in the building of iron or steel ships, steamers and other sea craft, and all description of machinery, and of all iron or steel manufactured articles; to hold land, own, operate, and work coal mines, iron mines, copper mines, nickel mines, timber limits, timber leases, charcoal ovens, coke ovens, and to build, own, and operate steamers, sailing vessels, barges, railways, wharves, etc., in connection with said works or otherwise, and generally to possess and exercise all such other powers as are necessary or incidental to the said purposes or any of them. And to provide a guarantee by the Province of 5 per cent. per annum for 25 years on $1,000,000 of the capital stock of said company, and for freedom from Government and Municipal taxation for a like period.

Dated the 11th day of November, 1892.

BOLWELL & IRVING,
no30-2m Solicitors for applicants

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that Murdoch Allan Morrison, of the city of Victoria, carpenter and builder, has assigned all his real and personal property to James Lemuel Arthur, of 152 Yates street, in the said city of Victoria, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Murdoch Allan Morrison.

The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustee on the 13th day of December, A. D., 1892, and the assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said Murdoch Allan Morrison must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the assignee at Victoria on or before the 13th day of February, A. D., 1893. All persons indebted to the said Murdoch Allan Morrison are required to pay the amount due by them to the said assignee forthwith. After the said 13th day of February, A. D., 1893, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Thursday, the fifth day of January, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

ALAN S. DUMBLETON,
51 Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignee.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1892.
dec15-tf

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 67 Block H, Victoria West, in the City of Victoria.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above lot will be issued to Thomas Allsop, on the 17th day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 12th December, 1892. dec13-3mo

NOTICE.

During my temporary absence in England any communications may be left with, and my address obtained from Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Government street.

J. GERHARD TIARKS,
no27-tf Architect.

NOTICE---MUNICIPAL ACT, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of my license to sell wine, beer and spirituous liquors by retail on the premises at the corner of Fort and Douglas streets, known as the Royal Saloon, to Stephen Whitley of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., Dec 31, 1892.
jan1-30t R. S. PETTINGELL.

NOTICE

That I have purchased the one third interest of A. N. Barry in the goods and chattels of the brewery of Fairall & Barry, situate in Victoria West, sold under and by virtue of a writ of *fi. fa.* by the sheriff.

Dated 23rd January, 1893.
ja21 1w H. S. FAIRALL.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that we will apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, to be held in March next, for a transfer of the license of the "Adelphi Saloon," situated in the Adelphi building, southwest corner of Government and Yates streets, now held by us, to William Croft, of the City of Victoria. MURPHY & BROWN.
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 23, 1893. ja24-1m

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Adeline Victoria Grive, or any other person, without my written order. (Signed) Jos. T. Grive, Comox, Grantham P.O. ja24-1m

NOTICE is hereby given that all claims against the undersigned or his estate, be sent in to James McConnell, Victoria, B. C., within 30 days from date.

January 17th, 1893.
ja19-1mo JAMES McCONNELL.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

EYE AND EAR.

DR. O. M. JONES,

Late clinical assistant at Moorefield Ophthalmic Hospital, London: Tuesdays;

DR. MARK S. WADE: Fridays;

Will attend to Free Patients on Tuesdays and Fridays (at 9 a.m.) of each week, at the Hospital.

H. M. YATES,
ja11-1mo Secretary.

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42 YATES ST.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT: THOMAS VINCENT, PROPRIETOR.
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Situated at the Entrance to Seymour Narrows.

The Terminus of the Canada Western Railway in Connection with the Ferry to the Mainland.

LOTS - IN - THE - ORIGINAL - TOWNSITE

"Lots in the original townsite can be had at present prices until January 1st, when prices will be raised twenty-five per cent."

The above statement was made in December last, and in conformity with same prices have been raised twenty-five per cent.

The first payment of $100,000 of the subscription to the stock of the Railway Company has been made.

The lots owned by the Canada Western Railway Co. in Duluth are not for sale.

HENRY CROFT,

72 GOVERNMENT STREET.

no20

COAL

The New Vancouver Coal Mining and Land Co., Ltd.

FORMERLY THE VANCOUVER COAL CO.)

ARE THE LARGEST COAL PRODUCERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

THE NANAIMO COAL. (Used principally for Gas and Domestic purposes.)

THE SOUTH FIELD COAL. (Steam Fuel.)

THE NEW WELLINGTON COAL.

(House and Steam Coal.) Are mined by this Company only.

THE "NANAIMO" COAL gives a large percentage o Gas, a high Illuminating power, unequalled by any other Bituminous Gas Coals in the world, and a superior quality of Coke.

THE "SOUTH FIELD" COAL is now used by all the leading Steamship Lines on the Pacific.

THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite fuel for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal, makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay, where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean Steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Ex "CHILI" from London. Just Landed.

VERY FINE CLARET,

(In Case and Bulk.)

CHOICE BURGUNDY,

CAMUSET CHAMPAGNE

(The Finest Dry Wine in the Province.)

CHAMPAGNE VINEYARD CO. BRANDY 1867 AND 1831.

Brown's Celebrated 4 Crown Scotch Whiskey, Guinness' Stout, bottled by Foster. Bass' Ale, bottled by Foster.

White's Portland Cement, Fire Brick, Blacksmith's Coal, Coke, Pig Iron, Etc., Etc., Etc.

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Ex "Ariadne," "Lizzie Bell," and "Irvine," large consignments of

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LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO THE TRADE.

We carry the most complete line of Coach Colors, Varnishes, and Paints in the Province.

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Cor. Yates and Broad Sts., Victoria, B. C.

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LYON & HEALY, CHICAGO.

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Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

Notice is hereby given that the "Dupont" Hospital Ambulance is now ready for service in cases of accidents, and can be obtained at the Victoria Transfer Stables

The use of the ambulance for all cases other than accidents can only be obtained on the order of one of the Consulting or Visiting Physicians of the Hospital.

The names of the said Physicians can be had on application at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

H. M. YATES,
de23-tf Secretary.

NOTICE.

Whereas, on or about the 18th January instant, several of the crew of the British Ship "Bawnmore," then lying at the Esplanade wharf, at Nanaimo, were kidnapped from the said vessel.

Notice is hereby given that a reward of five hundred dollars ($500.00) will be paid for such information as will secure the arrest and conviction of any of the offenders.

By Command,
F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Provincial Police.
Victoria, B. C., January 20, 1893. ja21

AMENDED NOTICE.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1892.

SPRING ASSIZES.
(On Vancouver Island.)

Victoria	Monday	16th May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th June
(On Mainland.)		
New Westminster	Wednesday	1st June
Kamloops	Monday	6th June
Clinton	Monday	13th June

FALL ASSIZE.
(On Mainland.)

Richfield	Monday	12th Sept
Clinton	Wednesday	28th Sept
Kamloops	Monday	3rd Oct
Lytton	Monday	10th Oct
New Westminster	Wednesday	9th Nov
(On Vancouver Island		
Victoria	Morday	28th Nov
Nanaimo	Tuesday	6th Dec

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Fares $5 to $10 Less than Any Other Route.

Luxurious Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars, Upholstered Tourist Cars, Free Colonist Sleepers.

Through Rates and Tickets to and from Europe by all Steamship Lines.

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For Rates, Sailing Lists, and all information, apply at the Company's office, corner Government and Fort streets.

ALLAN CAMERON, Agent.

GEO. McL. BROWN,
District Passenger Agent,
Vancouver. fe23

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO.

DESPATCH A STEAMER EVERY SEVEN days for San Francisco, carrying Her Majesey's mails, from Outer Wharf at 11 a.m.

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R. P. RITHET & CO.,
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ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY

STEAMER

JOAN

J. E. BUTLER,
Master.

On and after August 23rd, 1892,

The Steamer JOAN will sail as follows

CALLING AT WAY PORTS;

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 5 a. m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesdays, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Valdez Island, Thursdays, 7 a.m. (Returning same day.)
Leave Comox for Nanaimo, - Fridays, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturdays, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station, Store street. fe4

STEAMER

Island Belle

LEAVES VICTORIA

Every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7 a.m.

—FOR—

Fairhaven, New Whatcom, Roche Harbor, Friday Harbor, Orcas East and Sound.

Leaves Whatcom and Fairhaven, via Orcas and San Juan Island,

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 7 a.m.

TURNER, BEETON & CO.,
oc19-tf Agents, Victoria.

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited

Time Table No. 17, takes effect April 1, 1892.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 13 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday 23 clock. Wednesdays and Fridays at o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2 going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursda and Sat at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent

Union Steamship Co., B.C., Ltd.

Head Office and Wharf, Vancouver, B.C.

Vancouver and Nanaimo—SS. Cutch leaves C.P R. wharf daily at 1 p.m., returning from Nanaimo at 7 a.m. Cargo at Company's wharf until noon.

Vancouver and Comox—SS. Comox leaves Company's wharf every Monday at 8 a.m. for Comox direct, returning on Tuesday.

Vancouver and Northern Logging Camps and Settlements—SS. Comox leaves Company's wharf every Wednesday at 11 a.m. for Gibson's Landing, Sechelt, Welcome Pass, Lund, Cortez and Read Island, returning the same route; and to Fort Neville and way ports every alternate week.

☞Steamers and Scows always available for Excursion, Towing and Freighting Business. Ample storing accommodation on Company's wharf. Particulars on application to office.

WM. WEBSTER, Manager,
Telephone 94. feb14 P. O. Box 217.

BARRELS.

A number of empty Barrels, formerly containing varnish are for sale at "The Colonist" office. sell

GEO. A. SARGISON

NOTARY PUBLIC,

Accountant & Agent,

48 LANGLEY ST.

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The Colonist.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, Jan. 28, 1893.

Sun rises ----7.35 a.m. | Sun sets .....4.51 p.m.
Moon sets 3.46 a.m , 29th.

Day of the year, 28th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Jan. 27, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	25°	Mean 25°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	25°		
9 a. m.,	23°	Highest 27°	5 a.m.—20 N.
1 p. m.,	25°		1 p.m.—20 N.
5 p. m.,	22°	Lowest 22°	9 p.m.—12 N.
9 p. m.,	25°		

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per STR. ISLANDER from Vancouver—W H Hoskins J C Armstrong, W C Ward, Wm Bartlett, R P Rithet, John Hendry, Wm Pinchback, G M Leishman, S H Huson, R Cassidy, W J Jacklin, M E Beveridge, G F Watson, J Gillespie, F G Turner, W J Taylor, Capt. Powers, D J Munn, Major Dupont, G W McCrea, J M Ashton, W J Thompson, Wm McCullock, C H Paynter, H Floyd, T Okell, O Jackson, Alex Ewen, J Hillier, J Corsdaripe, T D Cyrus, Mrs Ashton, J Gray, Mrs McMillan, F C Sorby, J R Easton, Mrs Huson.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—W Chambers, Walter Magee, T Jamieson, C A Rattray, W Edwards, Jos Dunn, W H Lake, Chas E Schilling, Geo H Edwards, May Hem, M J Crandall, W F Clark, Wm Leondor, F H Jones, Miss Metcalfe, W A Beck, Geo Dow, Jno Davidson, D Archer, Jos Aubin, G Olsen, Chas Leader, J F Sully, J J Nolan, J F Morgan, Bert Morris, Jas Daly, C R Bruce, Thos Magee and son, L A Ingraham, A Western, N Schaefer, H Bodwell, J Olsen, J F Quigley, Will Scoular, J G Carter, Thos Alibeck, R Bellyea, G W Lubbe, J Morrison, W L Phillips, E Shaw and wife, C L Irving, W Frank, S B Gosford, P Mendon, E Morris, L Dickinson, F H Maccan, J E Knowles, Capt. S L Graves.

CONSIGNEES.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—P P Johnson & Co, A Henderson, C H Slickles, Fell & Co, S Aspland, M F Cameron, John Fulton and A Brewster.

Per STR. ISLANDER from Vancouver—Lenz & Leiser, C E R, W Morris, S H B Co, Simon Leiser, Rev J B Hewetson, Miss K M Fenton, Times Co, M W Waitt, Langley & Co, Thompson & K. Turner, Beeton & Co, T Earle, Col Ind Rev, Col Pty Co, H Bay Co, Can Gen Elec Co, Simon Garnasson, Imp Bk of Canada, A & W Wilson, Brady & Co, Chas McKay, Dom Cartridge Co, J M Okell, Ledingham Bros, H Marrion, R H Jamieson, Ramsay Bros, Vic Truck & D Co, Weiler Bros, W J Lawson, Dom Exp Co.

BIRTHS.

EXCELL—On the 1st inst., at Charlwood-road, Putney, the wife of Henry E. Excell, Sergeant R M.L.I., of a son.

BABY'S FRIEND.

The helpless and innocent babe cannot have too many friends. As far as baby's welfare is concerned, family friends often err; indeed, we often find the loving mother making sad mistakes in the matter of her child's dieting.

Distressing troubles follow, when poor and badly prepared artificial foods are used for the baby. Just now, indigestion, constipation, diarrhœa and dysentery are common ailments. These terrible and often fatal troubles result from careless feeding.

Babies, when nourished and fed on Lactated Food, never experience any of the troubles just mentioned. Their digestive organs are always in perfect condition; they are strong and grow fast, and are always good-natured and happy.

A mother very recently wrote about the effects of Lactated Food as follows:

"My twin babies weighed but four pounds each when born, and were very delicate; but now, thanks to Lactated Food, they are plump and healthy as can be. They are just as happy and good-natured as they look, and fond of the Food."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Carpenter tools at Cheapside. *

Labor and money saved by using Pendray's Electric Soap. *

Xmas gifts in variety at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street.

A fine variety of china goods suitable for Xmas presents now on view and for sale cheap at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

Cheap dinner sets at Cheapside. *

Choice Wines.

A special shipment of very superior wines arrived by the Chili, amongst them being a selection of fine Burgundies from Messrs. Poulet Pere et Fils—Beaune Cote d'or, France—whose wines have a very high reputation in Europe. Turner, Beeton & Co., agents. dec2-tf

Meiklejohn's Grammars at Hibben & Co.'s.

By Jove the Prize Packets at Morris' are good this time, "a sure pop." *

If you have cold take Cubb's Cough Cure—save ourself from La Grippe. Sold in Victoria by the following respectable druggists Geo. Morison, Thomas Shotbolt, Dean & Cryderman.

The Boy, the Mother and the Stocking.

As a result of our study of the above classical subject we have now in stock three special lines of extra strong wool hose for boys; with 6, 8 and 10 fold knees and 6 fold ankles. Contrary to a reasonable supposition these cost no more than ordinary knit hose.

WM. WILSON & Co., City House.

By Jove the Prize Packets at Morris' are good this time, "a sure pop." *

Sheffield pocket and sporting knives at Fox's, 78 Government street.

Special Sale

At THE WHITE HOUSE. Furs—Ladies and Childrens' Jackets.

Remnants and all odd lines. Come and see how low they are marked.

HENRY YOUNG & Co.

Unimpeachable Testimony.

Rev. R. R. Maitland, LL B., a Vancouver clergyman, says: "I have great pleasure in testifying to the magical efficacy of your Cubb's Cough Cure in the treatment of colds in the head, chest and lungs, and in the croupy affections of children. I recommend it to others after using it myself, always feeling free to say it is the right thing to have in the house for such emergencies. It ought to have a wide sale." ja27-3t

Stop that cough by getting a pair of cork soled boots at J. H. Baker's. *

AMERICAN NEWS.

School Building Condemned.

DETROIT, Jan. 27.—Detroit High school building, at the head of Griswold street, was burned this morning. The building has long been denounced as a tinder box, and the way in which the flames spread showed that the denunciation was well deserved. The loss is $10,000. The origin of the fire is supposed to have been an explosion of chemicals in the basement. The watchman is missing, and it is feared that he lost his life.

European Gold Shipments.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Gold shipments by to-morrow's steamer will aggregate $3,000,000, divided among the following exporters: Lazard Freres, $750,000; Ladenberg, Thalman & Co., $1,250,000, and Heidelbach, $1,100,000.

Surprising Discovery.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—A surprising discovery has been given publicity regarding the architectural gem of the World's Fair, the fine arts building. The Journal published cuts showing that one of the chief features supposed to be original with the designer, Charles B. Attwood, has a parallel in the famous Genoese Campo Santo. The feature in question is the adaptation of a dome to a Grecian building. In defending himself against a charge of plagiarizing Benoit's prize design, which received the honors int he Prix-de-Rome contest at the Paris school of fine arts in 1880, one of the strong points Mr. Atwood has made is that there is no dome in Benoit's design. Mr. Atwood followed up this statement with the declaration regarding the Chicago World's Fair fine arts building that to his knowledge "there never before was a dome on a Grecian building."

Military Execution.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 27.—The Supreme court of military justice has confirmed the sentence of death passed upon Col. Nieves Hernandez, against whom it was charged that while in command of Federal troops in pursuit of the Garza raiders he "played into the hands" of the latter. Unless President Diaz exercises his power of pardon, which is improbable, this city will witness within a week the public execution of an officer high in command.

Contraband Chinamen.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 27.—Deputy Marshal Weaver, of Lockport, left for San Francisco this morning with three Chinamen, Long Sing, Young Inma, Yeung Hong, who are to be sent back to China for smuggling their way into this country. The three Chinamen were caught last September by Marshal Weaver, tried and sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment in Erie county penitentiary. They were released on January 1st and confined in Erie county jail until funds were received to take them to San Francisco. Two of the Chinamen were released by order of Judge Cox, on the ground that it was illegal to hold them after they had served their time. The other died this morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—To-day twenty-six Chinese arrived in this city from Michigan in charge of U. S. deputy marshals. They were caught while trying to enter the United States, and will be sent back to China by the next steamer.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say: "General trade is of the sorting up variety in the Province of Quebec, and most retailers are still engaged in taking stock. There is a fair volume of trade throughout Ontario, in which teas are said to be the strongest feature, with a number of sales on Chicago account. Cottons, too, are higher. St. John, N. B., reports trade equal to that in January, 1892, and the outlook for the season fair. The total bank clearings reported by Halifax, Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton aggregate $18,242,000, a decrease of about 18 per cent. from last week—an increase of nearly six per cent. as compared with last year. Business failures throughout the Dominion this week number 48, as compared with 39 last week, and 64 the same week last year."

THE PYTHIAN BALL.

A Very Successful Anniversary Dance at the Assembly Hall Given by Local Lodges.

The annual ball given by the Knights of Pythias last night, at Assembly hall, was an event which will be long remembered as one of the most enjoyable affairs of the kind on record.

No pains had been spared by those to whom was entrusted the arrangement and management of the ball, to make it in every respect a delightful one. They succeeded beyond all expectations.

Nearly four hundred people were present and from the grand march to the finale, tripped the light fantastic most enthusiastically, and gave themselves up thoroughly to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The grand march, which was started just after the grand exhibition drill of the Uniformed Rank about 9 o'clock, to the music of Mr. P. Pferdner's excellent orchestra, was led by Col. Behnsen and Mrs. Redgrave, Grand Chancellor Hughes and Mrs. Hughes and Capt. Redgrave and Miss Meiss. There were 130 couple in the long column that swept down the hall and formed afterwards into sets for the opening Lancers, and this number was added to considerably by many who came late. They made a pretty scene, moving with the regularity and precision of an army across the spacious floor under the canopy of flags and bunting which softened the lights. In the centre of the ceiling where the line of streamers centred was a large design, the Pythian emblem, a huge triangle with the letters "F. B. C." Inside the triangle was a big Pythian shield with the crossed axes. The walls were decorated with emblems in profusion, the chief being the one over the arch "Friendship and Benevolence," and the one over the main entrance "A knightly and chivalric welcome to all." The supper room was also very tastily decorated, the four long tables with their many flowers and fancy dishes being particularly admired.

The committees which had been appointed, were as follows:

General Committee—Thos. Deasy, Chairman; Phil. J. Hall, Secretary; E. E. Leason, Treasurer; Wm. Duck, C. L. Wark, Thomas Watson, M. J. Conlin, H. L. O'Brien, Fred. Robertson, Geo. Watson, W. P. Smith, S Sea, jr., Geo. E Moss, Chas. Bush and H. B Rendell.

Reception Committee—Col. Henry F. Behnsen, Grand Chancellor, E. E. Leason, C C., J. L. Smith, C C., Sir Knight Capt. Redgrave, Wm. Duck, C. E. Jones, H. L. O'Brien, Thos. Watson, J. C. Byrne, M. J. Conlin and C. B. Lockhart.,

Floor Committee—H. L. O'Brien, Chas. L. Wark, Wm. Duck and J. L. Smith.

Drink Phoenix Lager Beer.

PROVINCIAL ACCOUNTS.

Balance Sheet for the Fiscal Year and Summary of Receipts and Expenditure.

The following tables with reference to the finances of the Province are taken from the Public Accounts presented to the Legislature on Thursday by Hon. J. H. Turner, minister of finance:

BALANCE SHEET.

ASSETS.

Dominion Govt. Terms of Union	$ 583,021 40
Sinking Fund Loan, 1874	9,925 50
Do. do 1877	276,710 64
Do. do. 1887	9,360 65
B. C. Loan Trustees (for Sinking Fund Loan 1877)	13,409 48
Do. (for Sinking Fund Loan 1887)	3,351 48
Do. (for Sinking Fund Loan 1891)	9,713 34
Bank B. C. Special Deposit	650,000 00
Do. Account Current	115,400 66
Dominion Government, (paid Engineers Graving Dock, Esquimalt, under Act 47 Vict	8,092 50
Government State of Washington	1,128 62
Island Mountain Quartz Mining Co.	22,973 44
B. C. Land and Investment Agency.	16,000 00
Balances due by Agents	37 993 79
Comm Lands & Works, Advnce Acct.	3,000 00
Cash Balance on hand	1,429 95
Balance of liabilities over assets	1,033,612 41
	$2,876,036 86

LIABILITIES.

B. C. Loan Act, 1874	$ 20,000 00
B. C. Loan Act, 1877	727,500 00
B. C. Loan Act 1887	994 190 00
B. C. Loan Act, 1891	970,000 00
Deposits intestate estates, etc	51,007 67
Deposits Suitors' Fund	29,670 02
London and Canadian Fire Insurance Co. (deposited as security)	16,000 00
Shuswap & Okanagan Railway Co. (portion Dominion Gov. subsidy)	65,010 00
Balance due Jas. Porter Government Agent, Cassiar	659 17
	$2,876,036 86

REVENUE.

	1890-91.	1891-92.
Dominion of Canada:		
Annual Interest	$ 29,151	$ 29,151
Annual Subsidy	35,000	35 0 0
Annual Grant *per capita*	18,000	74,213
Annual for Lands conveyed	100,000	100,000
Land Sales	243 551	213,519
Land Revenue	10,352	9,292
Timber Royalty and Licenses	25,172	20,475
Survey Fees	145	220
Rents (exclusive of Land)	60	125
" (Timber leases)	16,500	23,824
Free Miners Certificates	12 861	17 903
Mining Receipts General	12,329	14,744
Licenses	22,467	30,290
Marriage Licenses	2,785	3,605
Real Property Tax	98,351	97,412
Personal Property Tax	54,546	68,737
Wild Land Tax	25 695	53,391
Income Tax	5,826	7,102
Provincial Revenue Tax	73,863	42,759
Registered Taxes (arrears)	285	201
Tax Sale Deeds	...	60
Revenue Service (refunds)	161	96
Commission on Sales for Taxes	45	115
Fines and Forfeitures	9,445	13 736
Law Stamps	5,834	9,072
Probate Fees	7,539	3,228
Registry Fees	41,013	53,150
Assay Office Fees	351	530
Asylum for the Insane	752	1,276
Printing Office Receipts	4,215	7,409
Sale of Government Property	526	1,750
Sale of Consolidated Statutes	283	181
Re-imbursements in aid	4,803	6,581
Interest	6,964	8,131
Chinese Restriction Act, 1884	13,250	26,275
Education Refunds from City Districts	17,015	31,411
Reduction Works, Cariboo	658	.....
Miscellaneous Receipts	19,371	12,680
	959,248	1,020,002
Interest on Investment of Sinking Funds	5,695	18,235
	964,943	1,038,237
Loan Act, 1891, (£200,000)	.....	970,000
Deposits (Intestate Estates, etc.)	21,290	25,455
Deposits (Suitors' Fund Act, 1890)	67,018	45,942
Total	1 053,191	2,079,636

EXPENDITURE.

	1890-91.	1891-92
Public Debt:—		
Interest	$89,878	$118,978
Sinking Fund, "Loan Act, 1874."	543	513
Interest Invested, "Loan Act, 1874."	326	360
Sinking Fund, "Loan Act, 1877"	14,550	14,550
Interest Invested, "Loan Act, 1877."	4,476	14,380
Sinking Fund, "Loan Act, 1887."	17,460	17 460
Interest Invested, "Loan 1887."	893	3,481
Sinking Fund, "Loan Act, 1891"	.....	9,700
Interest Invested, "Loan Act, 1891."	.....	13
Premium and Exchange	923	6,051
Discount and Commission	951	171,333
Expenses, Consolidation and Loan	.....	3,060
Civil Governm't (salaries)	96,210	129,000
Administration of Justice (salaries)	85 594	97,971
Legislation	36,123	29,566
Public Institutions (Maintenance):		
Printing Office	5,011	6,976
Assay Office	355	372
Asylum for the Insane	11,377	12,884
Museum	1,281	1,489
Hospitals and Charities	28 178	33,272
Administration of Justice (other than salaries)	44,637	48,738
Education	136 991	160,627
Transport	4,687	7,158
Rent	48	48
Revenue Services	16,435	12,189
Public Works:—		
Works and Buildings	121 260	102,981
Government House, Victoria	2,031	1,910
Roads, Streets, Bridges, and Wharves	186,169	308,633
Surveys	24 396	46,716
Miscellaneous	160,951	78,778
Repaid Intestate Estates, etc.	662	31,818
Repaid Suitors' Fund Act, 1890	42,255	50,124
Total	$1 075,022	$ 1,512,863

SEATTLE'S LATEST.

The Yesler Will Matter Still the Great Topic in the Queen City.

SEATTLE, Jan. 27 (Special).—To-day Mrs. Henry L. Yesler appeared in court to answer a charge of conspiracy and destroying the will of her late husband. She was represented by her attorney, Mr. White, who sat on one side of her, and her mother on the other side. With Assistant Prosecuting Attorney McBride were three lawyers retained by Lowman, at whose instance the arrests were made. The defence demanded that the trial be immediately proceeded with, and pronounced the commencement of the action and arrests as merely a conspiracy to prejudice the appointment of Mrs. Yesler's choice as administrator of the estate. The judge granted a continuance to Wednesday next on application of the prosecution. The city has dropped all proceedings. The general impression is that while Mrs. Yesler is innocent, the two physicians may know more than they care to say. This is strengthened by the fact that the constable who made the arrest claims that Van Buren attempted to run. Afterwards at the jail he threw a pocketful of papers into the grate. A detective secured them. One is known to contain memoranda concerning boxes in the Safety Deposit vaults, which are now under seal awaiting a legal opinion.

Baron Blank—Permit me, my dear Miss Triller, to present you this little token.

Miss Triller—The flowers are very handsome.

Baron Blank—But why are you tearing them apart?

Miss Triller—I'm searching for the little token.—Fliegende Blatter.

TO DEPOSITORS.

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SCHOOL MATTERS.

Teachers Appointed for the New Classes Recently Established—A Matter of Discipline.

A special meeting of the Public School Trustees with closed doors, as the business was the consideratson of the qualification of candidates for appointment by the Board, was held yesterday, Chairman Hayward presiding over a full Board. The positions to be filled were those created by the establishment of the new divisions found necessary to relieve the much complained of overcrowding, and the appointments finally decided upon are in the order given below:

W. H. Schuyler, B.A., to be principal of the Central branch school at a salary of $80 per month.

Miss E. G. Lawson to be first assistant in the Central branch school; salary $60.

R. J. Hawkey to be second assistant in the Central branch school; salary $60.

Miss C. T. Lorimer, to be third assistant in the Central branch school; salary $55.

Miss O. Northcott, to be second assistant at Victoria West, vice R. J. Hawkey, promoted; salary $50.

Miss A. L. Johnston, to be monitor at Victoria West, vice Miss E. G. Lawson, promoted; salary $40.

Miss Frances Smith, to be senior monitor at Spring Ridge, vice Miss Northcott, promoted; salary $40.

Miss L. M. Speers, to be junior monitor at Spring Ridge, vice Miss Smith, promoted; salary $40.

Miss A. E. Carmichael, to be senior monitor at James Bay, vice Miss Lorimer, promoted; salary $40.

Miss C. C. Christie, to be junior monitor at James Bay, vice Miss Carmichael, promoted; salary $40.

The secretary was instructed to notify the above that their duties would commence on February 1st.

Prior to adjournment the following resolution was also passed:

"It having been brought to the notice of this Board that Miss Armstrog, principal of the girls' school, has recently stated to her pupils that she was not going to allow the trustees to dictate to her as to the manner in which she should manage her classes, and that she would give her pupils even more home lessons than she had heretofore;

"Be it resolved that the Secretary inquire from Miss Armstrong as to the correctness of this report, and request that she comply fully with the late regulations of the Council of Public Instruction with reference to the subject of home lessons."

PERSONAL.

T. Magee, of San Francisco, is at the Driard.

W. J. Taylor (Eberts & Taylor), returned yesterday.

Major Dupont came over from the Mainland last night.

J H. Brownlee and wife leave for California this morning.

Capt. Powers is again in town. He came over by yesterday's boat.

G. F. Watson and J. R. Easton, of Toronto, are at the Driard.

G. A. Huff, J. P., of Alberni, arrived in the city on Thursday evening.

G. M. Leech came over by yesterday's boat from the Mainland.

W. C. Ward, Inspector of the Bank of B. C., returned to town yesterday.

R. P. Rithet was a passenger on the Islander yesterday for Victoria.

W. S. Chambers and C. A. Rattray came over from the Sound last evening.

J Handlon, J. Brewster, E. Brewster and L Brewster, of Seattle, are at the Oriental.

A. Ewen, J. Hendry and D. J. Munn, of New Westminster, are staying at the Driard.

R. Cassidy, reporter of the Law Society, returned from a brief visit to the Mainland yesterday.

Fred. Billings, of Vernon, has given formal notice of his application to be called to the bar of the Province.

Chas. Dempster, of Nanaimo; H. L. Bordwell, of Boston, and James Stickles, of Portland, are guests at the Victoria.

Fliteroft Evans has been appointed official stenographer for the Supreme and County courts of Vancouver judicial district.

Prof. Strauss and the Misses Horton returned from the North yesterday, having given four very successful concerts at Fort Simpson.

F. S. Hussey, superintendent of Provincial police, returned yesterday from Nanaimo, where he had been in connection with the Bawnmore kidnapping case.

"It's a good think we can't see ourselves as others see us," said Mawson. "That's so," said Witherup, complacently; "how conceited I'd be if we could!"

Mrs. Wabash—"How did you come to marry your divorced husband, Helen?" Mrs. Lakeside—"It was the only way I could get my alimony."

Friend—Well, Clarence, why don't you think you'll hang up your stocking; are you getting to be too big a boy?

Clarence—No; but we live in a flat, and there's only room for the baby's stocking.

The snakes at the zoo have ceased to argue with the turtles as to their relative merits. The snakes found that they hadn't a leg to stand on.—Philadelphia Record.

Mabel—Are you going to make any good resolutions this year?

Maud—No; they break so easily I think that it's real extravagant.

Meiklejohn's Grammars at Hibben & Co.'s.

THE WESTSIDE

Is not selling every article at or under cost. For instance, our Standard, Warranted and Guaranteed Kid Gloves are as usual sold at one dollar and twenty cents. We are selling (as hundreds of buyers well know) Mantles, Jackets, Ulsters and Jerseys at one-half their regular price. This, however, is for the especial purpose of making a complete clearance before the arrival of our new stock expected next month. Underwear, Knit Goods, and all kinds of Winter Woolens we have marked at prices interesting to intending purchasers. Dress Goods in double widths reduced from seventy-five cents to forty cents per yard; fine, all wool Tweeds, fifty-four inches wide, from one dollar and twenty-five to ninety cents, and lots of other goods reduced in a like proportion. We invite inspection, and trust that you will examine carefully whether prices and values are not all that we claim them to be.

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MEETINGS.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R.—Regular Communication first Thursday each month at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets, at 7:30 p. m. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L Campbell, R. S. oc15

L. O. L., NO. 1610—Meets first and third Fridays in each month, in Sons of St. George Hall, cor. Government and Bastion Sts. Visiting brethren invited to attend.
ap12 JOHN WALLACE, Sec.

"SONS OF ERIN" MEET SECOND WEDnesday in each month at 8 p. m. in Pioneer Hall, Broad street. Richard Ackland, Honorary Secretary ja12

VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY.

The Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held at Sir William Wallace Society Hall, Broad street (opposite View), on Tuesday evening, 31st January, 1893, at 8 p.m., for the following business:

1. To receive the Secretary's yearly report and balance sheet.
2. The election of officers and board of management.
3. 30th drawing for an appropriation, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting

See that your shares are in good standing.
By order.

A. ST. G. FLINT,
ja25-td Secretary.

Victoria Theatre Co., Limited

The annual general meeting of shareholders of the above company will be held on Monday evening, the 6th February, 1893, at 8 o'clock, at the Driard house, Victoria.

M. STROUSS,
ja20-3tawtd Secretary.

British Columbia Southern Railway Co.

A meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at 45 Fort street, Victoria, B. C., on

Monday, the 20th February next,

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F. B. PEMBERTON,
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